



Welcome Wind Turns Threatening Flames From Prospect Lake

Threat of Highlands fire to Prospect Lake is seen here in view from Little Saanich Mountain, looking southwest. After almost two days of falling back, change of

wind indicated by direction of smoke permitted back-firing today by 135 fire fighters. Area covered by fire is estimated at 600 acres.

Backfires Help Fighters Halt Highlands Blaze

METIS ACTION UNDER RIEL HELD ONLY UPRISING BY ST. LAURENT

BATTLEFORD, Sask. (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent said today he intends to take official steps to have the half-breed actions on the prairies late in the last century referred to as an "uprising" and not a "rebellion."

In an impromptu talk, the Prime Minister said half-breeds led by Louis Riel were seeking responsible government and not fighting against law and order.

DETAILS OF ROYAL TOUR COMING SOON

Outline Of Visit Of Princess Elizabeth And Philip Agreed Upon, Pearson States

OTTAWA (CP)—External Affairs Minister Pearson said today he hopes the itinerary for the October visit of Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh will be issued "within a day or so."

He told a press conference the general outline of the Royal visit has been agreed upon. Maj. Martin Charteris, private secretary to the Princess, now in Ottawa to assist with the details.

The tour will run "at least a full month," Maj. Charteris said today.

Maj. Charteris, 37-year-old London-born veteran of the Second World War, arrived by air from London last night to confer with Canadian officials on the tour.

The Princess and the Duke are "both in good spirits and excited about their forthcoming trip," he said in an interview.

The Royal couple will sail for Canada aboard the Empress of France, September 25, and will break their Canadian tour for two days, October 24-25, to be guests of President Truman at Washington.

"There is some talk of extending the United States tour to other American cities, but there is nothing definite yet," Maj. Charteris said.

The Royal party will return to Canada after visiting the United States.

He did not believe it likely that a similar tour may be made by Princess Margaret.

Book-Burning Suspect Will Get Medical Exam

Prosecutor Claude Harrison announced today he will order a medical examination before proceeding further in the case of 55-year-old Joseph Szdel, 840 Johnson Street, who appeared in city court charged with the desecration of Christ Church Cathedral property early Monday.

Szdel, believed to be of German extraction, was remanded to tomorrow without election or plea by Magistrate A. I. Thomas. He is charged with unlawfully and wilfully damaging the church's prayer books of over the value of \$20.

The accused is alleged to have carried about 1,000 prayer and hymn books from the cathedral and burned them in the garden, along with pamphlets and pages torn from large memorial books. Notations of the vandal's own religious beliefs were written in pencil in some of the books pages had been torn from. Original passages were branded "false" in large letters.

Szdel entered the prisoner's dock wearing dark glasses. He is stockily built and was wearing a dark suit with a plaid shirt.

The accused leaned on the dock railing as court stenographer William Oster read the charge and appeared bewildered when he was taken back into the cell block after the charge had been read.

He was arrested in his room in the block on Johnson Street by Detective Ray Matland at 5:45 p.m. Monday.

Szdel, who told police he belongs to no religious faith, is reported to have stated the destruction was "the work of God."

It is understood that the handwriting in the memorial books tallied with the handwriting on an anonymous letter the Very Reverend Dean G. Calvert received recently.

Blaze Travels More Than Mile, 24 Hrs.

Backfires fanned by a favorable northeast wind today removed temporarily the threat to 50 Prospect Lake homes caused by the rampaging Highlands fire, which traveled almost a mile in 24 hours and has now left more than 600 acres of mixed slash, scrub and standing timber devastated.

"It jumped all the fire trails we had cut except the last line of defense—an old car road that we opened up from Sawmill Road," Jack Greenhouse, forest ranger in charge, reported.

"It was fought and fell back constantly until we backfired today," he added. "If the wind changes we might still have trouble, because with the woods as dry as they are you cannot count on the fire being under control until it's out."

This fire is the only one in the Vancouver forest district, with eight new fires and a total of 31 burning, listed as out of control. There are still 30 men patrolling the Elk River Timber Co. fire at Campbell River, which is giving no trouble. There are 625 men in all fighting fire in the district.

The Nelson district, with five new fires overnight and 27 burning, is still the chief trouble spot in the province, where 1,134 men are at work on the fire lines. The huge fires blazing at Santa Rosa Creek, McCrae Creek and Toby Creek are still listed as out of control.

Kamloops district has reported a "very slight" improvement in weather conditions. The district reported six new fires and a total of 77 burning. Of these, 16 are out of control, and 768 men are at work on the flames.

Prospect Lake residents and campers kept an eye on the Highlands fire here, as smoke billowed upwards not more than one-half mile from the lakeshore. A few had their cars packed and ready to leave at a moment's notice.

It was brought under control by hoses pumping from two Saanich fire department tank trucks, and by a large bulldozer brought in from the other end of the fire.

B.C. Forest Service has 135 men and two bulldozers working on the blaze.

PENSION FORMS AVAILABLE AT TIMES OFFICE

All Canadians of 65 and over are eligible to register for the new old-age assistance allowances to start next January.

To assist older Victorians, The Times has arranged a supply of forms at its offices, 2631 Douglas Street and 1214 Broad Street. They are also available at all post offices.

People of 70 and over now getting old-age pensions need not apply. They will be automatically transferred to the new allowance scheme.

Pleven To Ask Premiership Of France

PARIS (AP)—Rene Pleven will go before the National Assembly tomorrow to seek confirmation as Premier of France.

Pleven, who was Premier for seven months last year, today accepted the role of premier-designate from President Vincent Auriol in a 20-minute conference at the presidential palace.

He has spent the last four days talking with party leaders and is believed to have obtained assurances of a majority vote from the centre parties.

Pleven was the eighth French political leader to be invited by President Auriol to form a cabinet since the government of Premier Henri Queuille automatically resigned after national elections July 10.

The others either refused to try or were unsuccessful in attempts to line up support from the multi-party assembly.

Pleven is leader of the Democratic and Social Union of the resistance, a small, right-of-centre party.

Charges Nehru Endangers Peace

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP)—Premier Liaquat Ali Khan of Pakistan said Prime Minister Nehru of India is determined to endanger the peace of the Indian sub-continent and the world "for the sake of staging a political farce and forcing through your program of aggression in Kashmir."

This was the latest development in the tense dispute between the two countries over the former princely state. The Pakistani premier's message, sent Monday night to Nehru in New Delhi, came as armies of India and Pakistan restlessly guarded the national borders.

A pass for two for one month at the Odeon Theatre—valued at \$15.
An evening's entertainment—dinner, dancing, music and floor show—at the Club Sirocco—value \$15.
Taxi service to and from Odeon Theatre and Sirocco on night of presentation of prizes—value \$10.

In addition, there will be a cash bonus of \$5 the first day of the contest. This will increase to \$10 the second, \$15 the third and \$20 the final day. If he's not caught in the meantime.

U.S. Labels Reds' Latest Peace Bid As Propaganda

Ridgway Issues Ultimatum To Red Leaders

Neutrality Pact Must Be Observed

TOKYO (AP)—General Matthew B. Ridgway told the Communists today they must insure complete compliance with their guarantees to keep armed troops out of the Kaesong neutral zone if they want to talk peace in Korea.

The supreme Allied commander radioed the Red commanders demanding positive assurances there would be no more violations of the neutral zone. Only then, he said, will he send his negotiators back to cease-fire conferences in Kaesong.

Ridgway said he doubted the joint statement of Gen. Kim Il Sung, North Korean premier, and Gen. Peng Teh-Hual, Chinese commander, that the appearance of Red troops in battle array near the armistice site last Saturday was an accident.

GIVES WARNING

He said he considered the incident neither minor nor trivial.

He told the Red generals: "It must be clearly understood that my acceptance of a resumption of the armistice talks is conditional on complete compliance with your guarantees of neutralization of the Kaesong area. Any further failure in this regard will be interpreted as a deliberate move on your part to terminate the armistice negotiations."

Generals Kim and Peng replied Monday that the presence of the troops was "a mistake and an accident."

Their joint statement, as broadcast by the Chinese Peiping radio, referred to it as "a small incident" and accepted Gen. Ridgway's conditions for resumption of the talks.

Ridgway's conditions were a "satisfactory explanation of this violation and assurance of non-recurrence."

After receiving the Red reply, Ridgway summoned four of his negotiators to Tokyo, instead of sending them back to Kaesong.

Ridgway conferred Monday night and again this morning with his chief delegate, Vice-Admiral C. Turner Joy, before issuing his latest ultimatum.

Straith May Go To Ottawa On Defense

Provincial Secretary W. T. Straith may go to Ottawa shortly, in an attempt to get federal government action on civil defense requirements in this area. Major-General C. R. Stein, provincial co-ordinator, is willing to go with Mr. Straith if he is asked, he said today.

Lack of co-operation from Ottawa in clarification of civil defense plans and implementing of paper plans is said to be causing provincial government officials concern.

Assurance from Ottawa that civil defense workers will be protected by compensation for accidents while on duty is said to be one of the reasons for the proposed trip to the east.

It is believed that Vancouver civil defense officials will provide Mr. Straith with a brief outlining their views on the subject, when he passes through the city on his way to Ottawa.

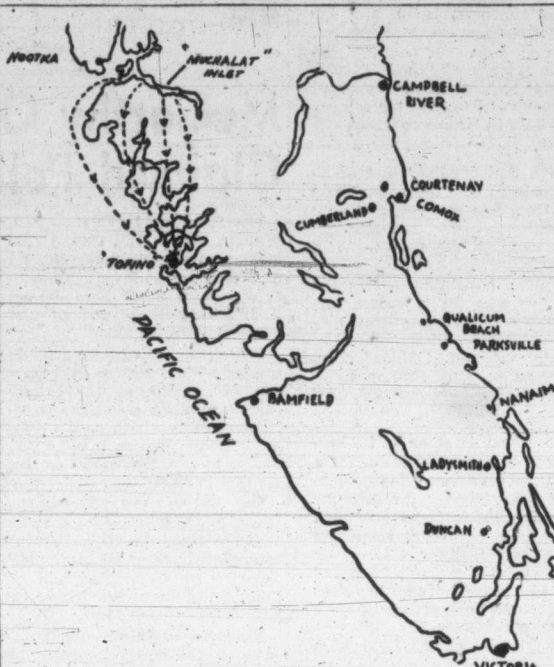
Meanwhile, Victoria's Civil Defense Technical Training School entered the second day of a three-week course in the Market Building this morning, with provincial co-ordinator Gen. C. R. S. Stein lecturing on the civil defense organization, followed by a lecture on basic fire fighting.

Twenty students are taking the course, and there are 200 Victorians registered for other sessions beginning in about three weeks.

With the pace of volunteering for civil defense work still dragging, officials continue to issue appeals for volunteers.

80 Persons Drowned

CALCUTTA, India (AP)—Dispatches from Dacca, in the Bengal area of East Pakistan, said today more than 80 persons were drowned when a crowded excursion boat sank during a squall last Sunday. The report said only 12 survivors were picked up by a passing boat.



ISLAND COASTLINE SCoured FOR PLANE

Every Hour Lessens Chance To Find Norsemen Passengers Lost Three Days

ALBANY—Grim lines were deepening today about the mouths of Queen Charlotte Airlines pilots and officials as every hour lessened chances of finding seven men alive in the rugged terrain between Murchat Inlet and Tofino on Vancouver Island's West Coast.

Lost in a Q.C.A. Norseman, Saturday, on what was to have been a "routine" 37-mile flight, the men have been the object of a search by 15 aircraft and two ground parties.

The tense staff of a radio "listening post" here, weary after three days of alternate hope and despondency, was asking only that the clear weather continue to make the search as easy as possible.

The Norseman is a silver-colored plane, not unlike the color of whitened driftwood which litters the beaches. This makes it difficult for searchers to spot the aircraft under the best of conditions.

Two reports of "white objects" and "debris" on Tahsis Inlet and Gore Island were investigated by a plane which left Vancouver at dawn today. Both leads proved fruitless.

A ground party dispatched from here by fishing boat last night was unable to find any wreckage for reports that lights had been seen on heavily-wooded uninhabited Flores Island.

In addition to the 15 planes now covering the area, a high-speed launch was on its way from the R.C.A.F. station at Patricia Bay.

The R.C.A.F. Air Sea Rescue Unit from Sea Island is directing the search, which includes the use of three Dakota aircraft, two land planes, four Q.C.A. sea-

planes, an R.C.A.F. helicopter and two logging tugs.

Seasoned veterans with the air force rescue unit compared the job with that of finding a four-engine Liberator which crashed near Tofino during the war.

Although the locale of the crash was known to be within a comparatively small area, it was not found for six days.

Six loggers from the Murchat Arm were aboard the Norseman, which was piloted by former Victoria E. C. "Ted" Williams.

Allied Planes Hammer Red Supplies, Depots

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Korea (AP)—A lone Communist plane bombed Allied lines in Korea today while 236 United Nations planes hammered back at the Reds in combat sorties.

Ground action quieted so much the U.S. Eighth Army omitted its customary evening communiqué.

The single Red air raider struck shortly after midnight.

8 Hurt As Train Hits Stalled Auto

MALVERN, Ark. (AP)—At least eight persons, including two trainmen, were hurt early today when a Missouri Pacific steam locomotive plowed into a stalled automobile at a level crossing.

The two-unit Diesel engine overturned after reversing its direction and tearing up about a quarter-mile of track. At least five cars were derailed, but none overturned. The last 10 cars, most of them Pullmans, remained on the tracks.

The automobile driver—who wasn't identified—was taken into custody. He told police he tried to stop the train. No charges have been filed.

Five bombs were dropped. There was no immediate announcement of casualties or damage.

Low-flying U.N. fighter pilots reported they killed or wounded at least 200 Reds. The Fifth Air Force kept up a continuous attack on Red supplies and supply lines, mounting 107 sorties from sunset to dawn.

Night fliers lighting Red roadways with flares reported "moderately heavy traffic" moving toward the front. Strikes before last midnight knocked out 80 vehicles in this movement, pilots reported.

The night strikes topped off a day of 775 sorties flown by Far East air forces.

Sixteen B-29 Superforts, converging from Okinawa and Japan, kept the air war going today with strikes at a Red airfield, rail marshalling yards and supply centres.

U.S. marine planes patrolling the coast Monday reported destroying 22 boats used by the Reds to transport supplies. One marine F-9F Panther jet was shot down by ground fire but the pilot was rescued.

Warships ranged freely up and down both coasts of Korea, and supported U.N. troops on the east coast with seaborne artillery.

Asks Russia Observe Her Present Pacts

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States today rejected Russia's proposal for a five-power peace pact as "a propaganda trap." The State Department said: "The Kremlin has violated obligations to such an extent that the world has lost confidence in the Soviet's respect for treaties."

Russia's President Nikolai Shvernik renewed Russia's offer—first advanced two years ago—in a letter to President Truman Monday night. Its rejection had been expected since U.S. officials described it even then as "the same old chestnut tied with a new ribbon."

The proposal was that the U.S., Britain and France join Russia and Communist China in a disarmament program aimed at guaranteeing world peace.

BRITISH REACTION

In London a Foreign Office spokesman said today Russia's proposals for a five-power peace pact "do not introduce any very new factor in the situation."

(At Ottawa External Affairs Minister Pearson said the Russian offer is just another child of Soviet tactics that have but one aim, world rule. "We can't rebuff them," he told a press conference, "but we have to be pretty careful in our examination of them.")

In the first formal American reaction a state department official today challenged Russia to live up to existing obligations before taking on new promises.

Press officer Michael J. McDermott told a press conference: "There is no sense in the Soviet government's assuming new treaty obligations until they have restored the confidence of the world by honoring existing obligations."

The United Nations charter which Russia has signed, "constitutes a solemn peace pact," McDermott emphasized and added: "Need exists for the fulfillment of the United Nations charter and other obligations which the Kremlin attempts to sabotage rather than for a new pact of the great powers."

President Truman, if he decides to reply to Shvernik's letter, will answer along these lines.

GOES TO CONGRESS

Truman will, however, send along to Congress the 2,500-word "peace resolution" which Shvernik sent to the White House.

McDermott, in talking to reporters, ridiculed the Soviet resolution. He said it was "typically written in the secrecy surrounding all the Kremlin's planning."

The real purpose of the Soviet proposal, he said, is "to tell our people to sleep" as America prepares to defend itself against aggression.

Denouncing the idea of a new five-power pact, McDermott recalled the United Nations General Assembly overwhelmingly rejected an identical Soviet plan in September of 1949 and September of 1950.

Abandon Hope For 2 Trapped In Crevasse

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (Reuters)—All hope of rescuing alive a Dane and a Frenchman trapped in an 80-foot crevasse in a Greenland glacier has been abandoned, a message received by the Danish Greenland department said today.

A cable from the French scientific expedition led by Professor Paul Emile Victor added that owing to the risk to life involved it was not likely any attempt would be made to recover the bodies.

Jens Jari, a Danish engineer, and Alain Joset, a French scientist, were trapped in a caterpillar-track "weasel" which plunged upside down in the crevasse Sunday. The men were caught in the fissure when the icecap suddenly opened.

The Greenland department has not yet decided whether to send a new official observer to the expedition which is making a study of the Greenland icecap.

Washington Fire

PORT ANGELES, Wash. (AP)—Forest crews are battling a forest fire which has eaten into 60 acres of Olympic national forest land. The flames were attacking cutover and second growth timber in the Sol Duc River valley just west of Lake Crescent.

At daybreak today about 60 men were on the fire, using six bulldozers to isolate the burning timber.

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ONE WOMAN'S DAY

By NANCY HODGES

'CADDY' IN CAMERA?

ALONG with Cleopatra, age evidently "does not wither, nor custom stale" the infinite appeal of "Caddy," judging by the public acclaim that greets that elusive denizen of the local deep every time it obligingly raises its brown head and wriggles its sinuous curves for the delectation of sea-gazing residents and visitors.

For years now it has been popping up in various shapes and sizes in the waters in the vicinity of Victoria, particularly in the dog days, appearing just long enough to ensure prompt notice in the front-page headlines—and getting it with a celerity and effectiveness that must make "Caddy" the envy of even the most publicized movie divorcee.

SHIES AT 'SHOTS'

BUT WHEN it comes to being photographed, there is nothing Hollywoodish about our own particular sea-serpent. "Caddy" is evidently allergic to cameras. It has eluded the efforts of determined, tireless and resourceful news photographers, and shied at the sight of the most ardent amateur addict of the latest, bagged color-and-movie camera craze. So I, for one, wasn't at all surprised to hear that the particular gremlin which guards the privacy of "Caddy's" particular preserves saw to it that the one visitor who had claimed to have photographed the shy sea-serpent lost both the camera and the film overboard from his boat in Brentwood Bay.

ALLERGIC TO DISNEY?

WHO KNOWS? It may have been that "Caddy," that sensitive soul which shows itself only to true believers, knew that the visitor in question hied from Los Angeles, and may have feared that, in the true California spirit, the amateur photographer would be tempted to show the film to Walt Disney?

And I would hate to see too much temptation put in the way of that wizard of whimsy. For who would expect him to resist the opportunity to translate our shy, retiring sea-serpent into a hero comparable to Donald Duck, Pluto the Dog, or even Mickey Mouse? No self-respecting "Caddy" could tolerate such a thought, so no wonder he—or it—or the gremlin rocked the boat that day in a spirit of self-preservation.

LIKE LOCH NESSIE

AND DON'T think our own sea-serpent is alone in its sensitivity. While I was in England the Daily Mail carried a story which convinced me more than ever that "Caddy" and "Nessie" of Loch Ness fame are sisters under the skin—or affinities, at least. It seems that the BBC ordered Scotsman Duncan Ross to find out for television the truth about the Loch Ness monster—as they call it over there.

Between 2,000 and 3,000 people claim to have seen "Nessie," but Mr. Ross' big problem is to find someone who has ever photographed it. The only one he could hear of was a West End surgeon, Mr. Robert Kenneth Wilson, who, in 1934, produced what he claimed was a true photo of the Loch Ness denizen.

IN NEW GUINEA

OF COURSE, I chuckled when I read, further, that Mr. Wilson and his photo couldn't be found. So far as Mr. Ross could find out, the surgeon joined the Army as a combatant, not as a surgeon, during the last war. Since then he has left England and is believed to be in New Guinea. Which suggests that his "photo" of "Nessie" might just as well be, for all practical purposes, down in the bottom of the mud in Brentwood Bay, along with "Caddy's."

Incidentally, the same news story in the Daily Mail added that "witnesses already interviewed by Mr. Ross include the Inverness police chief who issued official instructions in 1934 that on no account was the 'monster' to be shot."

MURAL MEMORY

THAT doesn't make it clear whether the police chief's prohibition was against shooting with a gun or shooting with a camera. But whichever he meant, it apparently had its effect, for no one to date appears to have shot it either way. But knowing what TV was able to do in presenting even me to the British public, I have great hopes of their success with "Nessie."

In the meantime, we don't have to worry about "Caddy's" going "into camera." One of our own Victoria-born artists, Jack Shadbolt, has immortalized it in a mural. And it must be a faithful likeness, for I have not heard a dissenting peep even from those who have so often gazed at its features and form in the flesh—from our rocks and beaches.

UPRISING THREATENED

Malay Police Blamed Over Child Marriage

LONDON (UP)—Last year's marriage of a Dutch school girl to a Malay school teacher in Singapore almost touched off a Moslem uprising throughout Southeast Asia, a Colonial Office report said today.

The report blamed the weak action of Malay police for the riots, which resulted in more than 200 casualties, including four Europeans killed and two Americans injured. Military action was needed to restore order in Singapore.

ADOPTED CHILD

Moslems were aroused by a court ruling that Maria's marriage was not valid and that she should be sent to a Christian convent until her return to her parents in Holland. The Malay woman who cared for her claimed she adopted Maria when the girl's parents were interned by the Japanese in Java in 1942.

The report criticized the government for failing to inform the public of the facts in the case. It said the Moslems had "no real understanding" of the issues and thought the court decision was an attack on the Mohammedan law of marriage and that Maria's detention in a convent was a move "to convert her to Christianity."

Life's Darkest Moment



McCarthy Ouster Action Claimed Political Move

WASHINGTON (UP)—Sen. William Benton (D., Conn.) said today he would do "everything I can" to force an investigation to determine whether Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R., Wis.) should be expelled from the Senate.

Benton told reporters he would consult with chairman Carl Hayden (D., Ariz.) of the Senate rules committee about the possibility of early action on his resolution calling for an inquiry into McCarthy's activities since his election in 1946.

The Senate must approve the resolution before such an investigation could be held. If the committee recommended McCarthy's expulsion, it would require a two-thirds vote of the entire Senate to oust him.

But even anti-McCarthy Democrats were doubtful about the fate of Benton's resolution. They conceded that it might be approved by the rules committee, but were pessimistic about its chances of coming to a vote on the Senate floor.

Ardent Benton supporters admitted that they could not get the necessary votes to expel McCarthy from the Senate. There are 50 Democrats and 46 Republicans in the Senate.

Hayden and other Democrats on the rules committee were tight-lipped about the whole affair, but Senate Republican leader Kenneth S. Wherry, Neb., ranking G.O.P. member of the committee, denounced Benton for having "only political motives in mind."

McCarthy was not on the floor when Benton, an assistant secretary of state from 1945 to 1947, introduced the resolution late Monday. He later issued a statement in which he said that Benton, while in the state department, worked "hand in glove with the crimson clique who have been so bad for America and so good for Communist Russia."

Face Theft Charges

DUNCAN — William Norman Spaul, arrested Sunday night, was charged with carrying a fire-arm without a permit, and was remanded for eight days. He may also face several theft charges, since a number of articles believed stolen were found in his car.

Cabinet Will Consider Canada's Pact Position

Inclusion Of Turkey-Greece In N.A.T.O. To Be Considered, Pearson Announced

OTTAWA (CP)—External Affairs Minister Pearson said today the cabinet will consider this week Canada's stand on the possible inclusion of Greece and Turkey in the 12-nation North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

At his first press conference since returning from a six-week tour of Europe, Mr. Pearson made these other points:

1. He hopes the Greece-Turkey question will be settled at the pact council meeting opening here September 15 and expected to end by September 21. But, like certain other important questions, it may have to wait for a final decision at a subsequent pact meeting in Rome in late October.

2. The question of defensive arrangements between Spain and the United States does not concern the pact organization and there is no reason to think it will come up here.

3. A representative of Gen. Eisenhower's European headquarters will be at the meeting here. He couldn't say yet whether it would be Eisenhower himself.

4. A good deal of progress has been made in considering the rearmament of Germany and there is no reason to be pessimistic about the successful outcome of present negotiations.

5. The pact meeting here will be far larger than any in the past because the 12 nations can send three Cabinet ministers each.

The government is hoping the number of official delegates can be held to somewhere between 200 and 300.

6. Generally speaking, the Ottawa meeting will be used for "a sort of first and second reading" of important matters with final decisions to be made in Rome.

Freighter Brings 500 Tons Of Tuna Here From Japan

The American freighter Flying Scudd will leave Ogden Point Wednesday morning, after unloading 500 tons of frozen tuna here. She will carry an additional 300 tons of the valuable fish to the mainland.

The tuna was caught by Japanese fishermen and loaded by the 10,000-ton freighter at the ports of Shimizu and Yokohama. On the Pacific crossing, the fish were kept at a temperature of 10 degrees below zero.

On arrival here, the fish were put into storage at B.C. Packers Ltd.

Kiwanis Meet Tonight — Five members of Victoria's four toastmasters' clubs will be guest speakers at the regular meeting of Victoria North Kiwanis Club tonight at 6:15 at the Monterey.

BCE Concerts End Wednesday

An all-request program will be featured at Beacon Hill Park Wednesday at 8 p.m. when the seventh concert concludes the B.C. Electric-sponsored summer series.

James Miller will conduct the band. Miss Doris Heggie and Mr. Arthur Stringer will be the guest artists.

Sousa's "Triumphal March" by Boyer will open the program.

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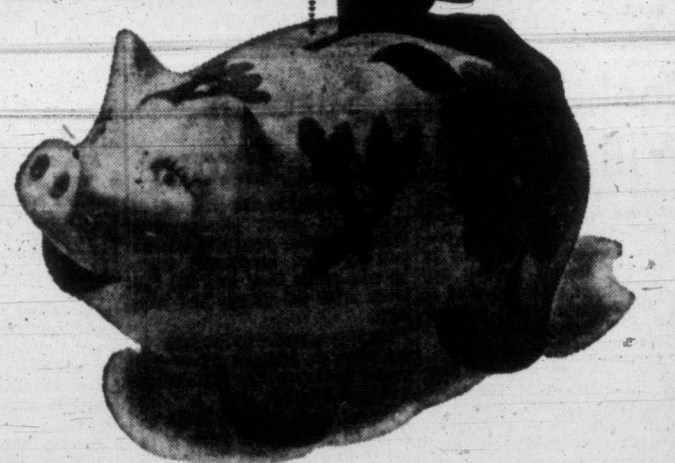


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Latest Rocket To Be Tested By Navy Today

Projectile Expected To Crack Old Record

By ROBERT A. BROWN
UP Staff Correspondent

WHITE SANDS PROVING GROUNDS, N.M. (UP)—The navy expects to break the altitude record for single-stage rockets today when it fires the Viking VII here.

The rocket launching was originally set for 12:30 p.m. (EDT). Officials announced the time would be delayed until shortly after 1 p.m. (EDT) because of what they called technical difficulties. Previous changes in firing time were made to allow Secretary of the Army Frank Pace to be on the scene and to try and avoid cloudy weather.

There were scattered clouds in the sky and officials watched and worried. They went a clear blue patch overhead for the firing. Pace was "on deck" for the Navy test, but declined to be interviewed by newsmen.

Milton Rosen, the scientific officer of the rocket project, said that "we expect to break the present altitude record." However, he would not predict the height to which he expected the rocket to soar.

Pressed for an opinion as to the Viking's possible use as a war weapon, Rosen said the projectile's maximum range would be about twice the altitude which has been reached, or something over 200 miles.

He said American scientists have no reason to believe that the Russians are ahead of the United States in the development of the rocket, but declared "we dare not" stop improving our rockets.

He "guessed" that the Viking cost about \$200,000 but said that the expense would be materially lowered by mass production methods.

If the Viking VII reached the height expected by Rosen, it will crack the 107-mile altitude record set last November by the Viking V as well as the 114-mile altitude reached by a rebuilt German V-2, Dec. 17, 1946.

Administrative officer M. F. Green insisted that the altitude is not the prime purpose of the shooting. He said the 48-foot silver projectile will serve the dual purpose of aiding upper atmosphere research and providing information needed in future rocket development.

Pearson Due To Sign Jap Peace Treaty

OTTAWA (CP)—External Affairs Minister Pearson, just home from a trip to Britain and northern Europe, will be on his way again in about four weeks.

This time, he told a press conference today, he is going to San Francisco to sign the Japanese Peace Treaty for Canada. The ceremony is expected to take place Sept. 4.

Mr. Pearson said Canada has found the treaty "reasonably satisfactory." The final draft will be made public Aug. 12 and he suspected it would not be "completely satisfactory" to all countries going to the San Francisco ceremony.

The treaty would be submitted to the session of parliament for ratification.

On another phase of Pacific problems, Mr. Pearson said the defensive arrangement announced recently by the United States, New Zealand and Australia was not a Pacific Pact or a collective security pact in the same sense as the North Atlantic Treaty.

It was a defensive arrangement between three Pacific countries. As such, there was no question of Canada considering participation in the arrangement.

However, if a Pacific pact embracing other nations developed out of the existing three-cornered arrangement, that was another question and Canada would have to give the matter some consideration. Up to now, Canada hasn't been asked to join the group.

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Unwatered berries, left; irrigated canes, right.

Dominion Farm Gets Graphic Results In Extensive Watering Experiments

By DAVE STOCK

The story of irrigation is told without words at the federal government's experimental station on East Saanich Road.

It's a story told in contrasts. A visitor to the station can see tall, sturdy gladioli with prize-winning flowers growing within a few feet of small, weak gladioli stems with just a few blooms.

He can puzzle that raspberry bushes should grow eight feet tall and have big, lush berries as big as the top of his thumb, while in the next line there are only short, brittle, brown-leaved canes with tiny, bullet-hard fruit.

He can wonder, too, why the potato field is a patch-work pattern of high, green tops and withering yellow stems.

The story is told when the visitor realizes the difference is because of one thing—water.

Experiments to show the value of irrigation have been going on at the Saanich station in a big way for the last three years.

The man in charge of this phase of the station's work is be-speckled Jack Crossley, whose formal title is Agriculture Research Officer, but who, in layman's language, is better described as a bulb expert.

Results of his experiments should sell anyone on the value of water.

PROVEN RESULTS

During the three years of his tests, he has proved that on a weight basis, gladioli corns are 87 per cent bigger on plants that are watered than on those which are not.

The advantage rating for irrigated iris, as worked out by Mr. Crossley is 203 per cent; for tulips, 102 per cent; hyacinths, 340 per cent, and daffodils, 374 per cent. In all cases, bulbs on watered plants grew 50 per cent heavier than those on non-irrigated plants.

At the beginning of the tests, it was conceded there might be some

13 Indicted By Grand Jury

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP)—Four city councilmen and a deputy police commissioner were among 13 persons indicted Monday by a grand jury probing gambling. The charges included conspiracy, bribery, extortion and accepting unlawful fees.

Three police captains, a city license director and a democratic state committeeman were among those named in sealed indictments handed to Justice George H. Rowe, of State Supreme Court.

The city councilmen, indicted on all four charges, were: Peter J. Niska, Frank J. Glinski, Russell M. Leech and Elmer F. Hoffman.

Similar charges were placed against Deputy Police Commissioner Glenn G. Pauley and police captains Theodore Seifert, George A. Tourje and Raymond J. Smith.

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disadvantages to watering. It was no surprise, then, when it was found irrigated plants matured later than others.

This was no real problem, but the immediate question which arose was whether the wet bulbs would force as well during the next season as their dry neighbors. Tests the following year showed that they did.

This is important. Saanich bulbs, which compete with Holland-grown bulbs, have the advantage of flowering about two or three weeks earlier than their European counterparts. Facing stiff competition from across the ocean, commercial bulb growers hold this up as a strong selling feature.

In another section of the experimental farm, similar experiments with irrigation are going on with other plants. Here, Gordon Webster, soil and plant nutrition expert, is in charge.

Second-year tests currently are being made with raspberries, logans and potatoes and first-year tests with apple trees.

Raspberries, perhaps more than any other commercial crop grown in Saanich, require adequate

moisture. This is shown dramatically by the one row of berries eight feet tall, right next to a row hardly reaching four feet.

Being of exactly the same variety, the only difference is that one row has been given six inches of water during the summer; the other, none.

Soil tests determine when an application of water should be given. A practical method is to twist an auger or wood bit into the soil near the roots of the plants. If the soil clings to the auger when it is removed, there is sufficient moisture in the soil. If it crumbles and falls off, water is needed.

The amount of water applied at each watering should be determined by the depth of the plant roots and by the composition of the soil. Every irrigation should wet the soil down to the bottom of the roots. Heavier waterings which wet the soil to a greater depth serve no advantage.

Heavy textured soils, such as clay, need more water per application than light soils. At the same time, the moisture will hold longer in heavy soils so that irrigations can be made at less frequent intervals.

Airmen Homeward Bound After Arctic Trip

EDMONTON (CP)—Eighteen sea-going airmen are on the way from the Arctic Ocean to Vancouver. The R.C.A.F. in Edmonton announced today they left Tuktoyuktuk, near the mouth of the Mackenzie River, Saturday in the Snowbird II, an air force Arctic supply ship.

Master of the Snowbird II, which is going to Vancouver for a refit, is Sqdn. Ldr. S. C. N. Burridge, 50, of Vancouver, senior officer of the R.C.A.F. marine branch. He is a veteran skipper of deep-sea liners who saw general service in the First World War with the mercantile marine and enlisted in the R.C.A.F. in 1938.

Thirteen of the crew are from 102 Marine Squadron at Dartmouth, N.S., and 122 Marine Squadron at Patricia Bay, B.C. The others are an R.C.A.F. electrician, a cook and two radio operators.

The 1,158-ton motor vessel's 4,800-mile trip will be via Alaska's north coast, through the Bering Strait and down the Pacific coast. It will take four to six weeks depending on weather.

An attempt last year was unsuccessful. After getting part way along the Arctic coast last August, Snowbird II met severe weather, ice and high winds, and had to return to Tuktoyuktuk.

Built at Charleston, South Carolina, the Snowbird II is a landing ship which served in the Second World War. She was

Conscription Faces Forest Fire Chasers

Motorists Blocked Fire Apparatus

Warnings were being issued today to sightseers who are making it difficult for fire fighters to move equipment to the forest fire in the Highlands district.

B.C. Forest Service officials are combing provincial laws governing forestry to determine if penalties can be invoked against those who obstruct the roads.

"It's unusual to have a fire so close to a city," said officials, "so it's almost a new problem."

Ranger Jack Greenhouse, in charge of fighting the fire, complained that Sunday motorists jammed Munn's Road and prevented equipment getting through.

"People should think of the actual danger they're in, when they go near a fire," officials said. "They take a chance on having their cars burned up or damaged. A Saanich fire truck was caught, even with experienced men in charge."

"Another point," the officials warned, "is that rangers are empowered to conscript labor, and sightseers are taking a chance on being put to hard work with a pick and shovel."

"Trying to drive to a fire is pointless, anyway," they said. "There's nothing to see but smoke, and you can see that from Victoria."

Dick Contino Given Prison Term, Fined

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Dick Contino, 21, accordionist, was sentenced today to six months in prison and was fined \$10,000 on a draft evasion charge.

Contino, who made as much as \$4,000 a week in theatre and night club engagements, pleaded guilty July 24 to a draft dodging charge.

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Officials Open Civil Defense School

Well ahead of many other centres in civil defense work, Victoria opened its training school for volunteers yesterday. Seen trying a helmet on Victoria director Leonard Hatcher is Provincial Secretary

W. T. Straith. Others who took part in the opening, from left, B.C. civil defense co-ordinator Maj.-Gen. C. R. Stein, Mayor Percy George and, extreme right, deputy Provincial Secretary R. N. Pennington.

EXHIBITION PARK ENTRIES

FIRST RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:	SEVENTH RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
8295 West Hill (Dodge).....119	8295 West Hill (Dodge).....119
8296 Be Glory (Snelling).....119	8296 Be Glory (Snelling).....119
8297 Springdale (Coppinell).....119	8297 Springdale (Coppinell).....119
8298 Dean Dee (Dye).....122	8298 Dean Dee (Dye).....122
8299 Dr. Beestrand (Jackson).....122	8299 Dr. Beestrand (Jackson).....122
8300 Top Charge (Marsh).....117	8300 Top Charge (Marsh).....117
8301 Act Three (Fields).....114	8301 Act Three (Fields).....114
8302 Brocan (Clemens).....114	8302 Brocan (Clemens).....114
8303 Ten Junior (J. Martinez).....114	8303 Ten Junior (J. Martinez).....114
8304 Ken Bolens (Filipchuk).....122	8304 Ken Bolens (Filipchuk).....122
8305 Golden Gilt (Snelling).....119	8305 Golden Gilt (Snelling).....119
8306 Colera Abbey (Mathews).....109	8306 Colera Abbey (Mathews).....109
SECOND RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:	EIGHTH RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, one mile and one-quarter:
8307 Eliza (Shaw).....110	8307 Eliza (Shaw).....110
8308 Lassapette (Marsh).....110	8308 Lassapette (Marsh).....110
8309 Cotton Eye (Dullivan).....106	8309 Cotton Eye (Dullivan).....106
8310 Maye Thursday (Coppinell).....115	8310 Maye Thursday (Coppinell).....115
8311 Wreath Cake (Burgin).....120	8311 Wreath Cake (Burgin).....120
8312 Glory Roll (Filipchuk).....112	8312 Glory Roll (Filipchuk).....112
8313 Captain Doe (Clemens).....115	8313 Captain Doe (Clemens).....115
8314 Lamour (T. Johnson).....115	8314 Lamour (T. Johnson).....115
8315 Count Carlos (Uphall).....113	8315 Count Carlos (Uphall).....113
8316 Sugar Joe (Allan).....120	8316 Sugar Joe (Allan).....120
8317 Sir Mally (Poe).....120	8317 Sir Mally (Poe).....120
8318 April Day (Mathews).....120	8318 April Day (Mathews).....120
8319 Curley E. (Fields).....115	8319 Curley E. (Fields).....115
8320 Yoke Snow (Dye).....115	8320 Yoke Snow (Dye).....115
THIRD RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, foaled in Canada, one mile:	NINTH RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, one mile and one-quarter:
8321 Trace Band (Fields).....113	8321 Trace Band (Fields).....113
8322 Prince Harry (Burgin).....120	8322 Prince Harry (Burgin).....120
8323 Zen Zen (Coppinell).....115	8323 Zen Zen (Coppinell).....115
8324 Saanichion (Filipchuk).....115	8324 Saanichion (Filipchuk).....115
8325 War Peggy (Bloom).....115	8325 War Peggy (Bloom).....115
8326 Bus Zoo (T. Johnson).....112	8326 Bus Zoo (T. Johnson).....112
FOURTH RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, one mile and 70 yards:	TENTH RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, one mile and one-quarter:
8327 Rex Nimbus (Mathews).....114	8327 Rex Nimbus (Mathews).....114
8328 Fliny (Wells).....122	8328 Fliny (Wells).....122
8329 Strandy (Fields).....117	8329 Strandy (Fields).....117
8298 Vine Jose (Uphall).....110	8298 Vine Jose (Uphall).....110
8299 Brunshot (Youtter).....110	8299 Brunshot (Youtter).....110
8300 Ceyvred (Filipchuk).....109	8300 Ceyvred (Filipchuk).....109
8301 Brack (Coppinell).....119	8301 Brack (Coppinell).....119
FIFTH RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:	SUBSTITUTE RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
8302 Pacific Pearl (Dye).....115	8302 Pacific Pearl (Dye).....115
8303 Yner (Filipchuk).....110	8303 Yner (Filipchuk).....110
8304 Emerald Boy (Burgin).....109	8304 Emerald Boy (Burgin).....109
8305 Bay Bus (Youtter).....117	8305 Bay Bus (Youtter).....117
8306 Balerno (Coppinell).....115	8306 Balerno (Coppinell).....115
8307 Wafare (Jackson).....117	8307 Wafare (Jackson).....117
8308 Last Drink (Marsh).....110	8308 Last Drink (Marsh).....110
8309 Apprecio (Dodge).....117	8309 Apprecio (Dodge).....117
8310 Painted Leaves (Fields).....117	8310 Painted Leaves (Fields).....117
8311 Mayvera (Mathews).....115	8311 Mayvera (Mathews).....115
8340 Plucky Jake (T. Johnson).....115	8340 Plucky Jake (T. Johnson).....115
8337 Sir Gallator (J. Martinez).....115	8337 Sir Gallator (J. Martinez).....115
8338 Interred (Wells).....115	8338 Interred (Wells).....115
8339 Fun Fest (Fields).....110	8339 Fun Fest (Fields).....110
8341 Acot Bells (Burgin).....110	8341 Acot Bells (Burgin).....110
8342 Galla Dosh (Bloom).....107	8342 Galla Dosh (Bloom).....107
8343 Admit (Marsh).....110	8343 Admit (Marsh).....110
8344 Winkup (Mathews).....120	8344 Winkup (Mathews).....120
SUBSTITUTE RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:	SUBSTITUTE RACE —Claiming, \$900, for three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
8316 Prens Roy (Bullivan).....113	8316 Prens Roy (Bullivan).....113
8317 Indian Warrior (Coppinell).....120	8317 Indian Warrior (Coppinell).....120
8318 Four Seasons (Filipchuk).....117	8318 Four Seasons (Filipchuk).....117
8319 Onto Glory (Fields).....120	8319 Onto Glory (Fields).....120
8320 Minaki (Burgin).....110	8320 Minaki (Burgin).....110
8321 Treasure Boy (Bloom).....115	8321 Treasure Boy (Bloom).....115
8322 Happyland Jr. (Dodge).....115	8322 Happyland Jr. (Dodge).....115
8323 Royal Pilot (Marsh).....115	8323 Royal Pilot (Marsh).....115
8324 Bure Perfect (Clemens).....120	8324 Bure Perfect (Clemens).....120

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Should We Go It Alone?

A DECISION BY CANADA TO BUILD the St. Lawrence seaway alone would create large financial problems at any time. At a time of inflation those problems may be too large to risk.

It is estimated that the project would cost nearly \$800,000,000. The effect of this expenditure must be considered in physical terms. It means that large numbers of workers and vast quantities of materials urgently needed in defense and in the civilian economy would be diverted for some years into the seaway. In the end it would increase the nation's production and wealth by reducing the cost of transportation and creating large new supplies of electricity. For the moment the supplies of goods available for the defense program and for the consumer would be reduced. The pressures of inflation would be correspondingly increased.

Nevertheless, the Canadian government evidently considers that the long-run advantages of the seaway might counterbalance the immediate costs, both financial and economic. This is also the view of the American government, but so far the seaway project has been held up in Congress solely under the pressure of local railway, power and shipping interests which fear new competition.

Before embarking on the largest construction project in modern Canadian history the government will be wise to make sure first that the United States has finally decided not to participate in it. A congressional committee has voted against the seaway and the verdict of congressional committees is usually decisive. But advocates of the seaway intend to carry the fight to the floor of

Congress, where a vote may soon be taken. Until that decision is made one way or the other, the Canadian government is hardly in a position to go ahead with the scheme alone.

The fact that Canada may be ready to do so, if necessary, may well have a powerful effect on the Congress. If the seaway is to be built anyway, the United States may wish to share it. The powerful interests which so far have blocked the American government's policy could argue—unsoundly, no doubt, but effectively in practical politics—that they would be damaged by the seaway. If it is to be built despite their opposition they are left with no argument.

There are three reasons for building now. First, the seaway is needed for defense purposes, mainly to carry Labrador iron ore cheaply to the American steel industry, which is exhausting the Mesabi Range. Second, it will produce electricity to forestall a threatened power famine in Ontario, Quebec and New York State within a few years. And third, it will reduce the cost of moving all kinds of goods to and from the heart of the continent.

There is no question about the need of the seaway, no question, either, that the United States and Canada together could build it without straining their resources. The only question is whether Canada can build it alone when its resources are already strained and when the federal government is trying to curtail all kinds of non-defense projects. This is the question which the government must answer if the American decision is finally against the seaway. The decision is not final yet.

Strategy Vs. Morals

MR. ACHESON'S FORMAL STATEMENT on an agreement between the United States and Spain is remarkable in its candor. He says bluntly that the United States is willing to do business with Franco solely because the Spanish peninsula is of "strategic importance to the general defense of western Europe."

Military necessity, in other words, overrides for the moment any question of political morals. No one wants Franco but the possession of bases in Spain is essential if Europe is to be defended.

With equal frankness Mr. Acheson admits that his government has been unable to secure agreement on this issue with the governments of Britain, France and other western European nations. After months of secret negotiations only stalemate has resulted.

Mr. Acheson makes a new bid for the support of the other governments by a definite assurance that the United States will not attempt to hold Spain as a mere beach-head while abandoning the rest of the continent in a general war. The vital paragraph in Mr. Acheson's statement says:

"Any understanding which may ultimately be reached (with Spain) will supplement our basic policy of building the defence strength of the West. It has been and is our firm intention to see to it that if western Europe is attacked it will be defended—and not liberated. The presence of American armed forces in western Europe bears witness to this intent, as does the appointment, at the request of the North Atlantic Treaty organization allies, of General Eisenhower as Supreme Commander."

By this assurance the United States seeks to overcome the most serious objection of its allies to the inclusion of

Spain in the general defence organization. They had always feared that if the United States embraced Franco it would prepare to abandon the rest of Europe in an emergency and fight behind the Pyrenees. This intention is now denied.

Actually the resistance of the European governments to a deal with Franco has weakened of late. In theory they are opposed to it for obvious and good moral reasons. But, once assured that the United States has no intention of abandoning them, they are making no serious objection to the present rapprochement in Madrid. They insist, however, that the United States' flow of arms should not be diverted from more reliable allies to Franco, the supporter of Hitler and, at best, a doubtful friend.

Apparently on this point also the United States has reassured Britain, France and the others. Holding its nose, the free world is about to welcome Franco into polite society only because he happens to occupy the gateway to the Mediterranean and the Near East.

Now that Britain has agreed to accept Greece and Turkey in the North Atlantic Treaty organization the European defence line should soon run from the tip of Norway to the Suez. But a price must be paid for it.

By embracing Franco—even if he improves his regime under the facade of a monarchy—the democratic nations will certainly make millions of doubtful people in Asia and elsewhere believe that the west is inconsistent and cynical. The Russians will use that propaganda theme for all it is worth.

Such a price in politics and in principle must be paid, in the judgment of the United States military advisers, to make Europe safe militarily.

Children Of The Revolution

UNTIL RECENTLY THE COMMUNIST government of China relied on loyal children to denounce their anti-Communist parents to the police. For this act of patriotism a Chinese child could be sure of receiving a prize, usually a cheap fountain pen. He might lose his father to the firing squad but he would have the means of recording the event on paper as part of his liberal education.

Now the Communists have reversed their method, or expanded it, by urging the parents to denounce their children. According to the Peiping radio, the Chinese child is becoming a centre of counter-revolution. In Tientsin, for example, the police discovered that Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalists were working through children's "glee clubs," which ostensibly met to sing and dance but in fact were hotbeds of espionage and sabotage.

The children, the radio tells us with horror, are armed with such dangerous weapons as catapults and sticks, they

spread rumors and endanger the state. For this wicked work the boys and girls are paid with large bribes, such as free candies and trips to the movies.

Parents are asked by the government to search out counter-revolutionary tendencies among the young and assist the police in exterminating them. The struggle against the children's uprising, the government says, will be "bitter and long drawn out."

Thus the historic law that all revolutions consume their young is fully in force. The Communists know what they are doing. Uncounted millions of Chinese boys and girls will be men and women tomorrow. They must be purged of "deviation" before they grow up.

With children turned against parents and parents against children, China would be a domestic as well as a political nightmare. But the Chinese family, core of its ancient civilization, probably will outlive Communism.

Returned To Society

IN MEDICAL LAKE, WASH., EMIL Karhu has returned to the world he left 32 years ago under sentence of life imprisonment. Reduction of the sentence places him in the strange position of having to adjust himself to conditions with which, even if he had not forgotten life on the outside during those three decades, he can scarcely be familiar.

Emil Karhu's case represents an exaggeration of the position in which any freed person finds himself after a spell in prison. For those serving shorter terms, the return to society does not offer the tremendous contrasts which the long-term faces on his release. At the same time, it does set him apart from his fellows, confronts him with new problems and gives him a formidable task of readjustment.

Under our theory of crime and punishment, the legal release of a man implies that he has discharged his debt to

society. Probably it is impossible to discharge such debts, but the freedom given him does provide another chance, to the individual to follow an honorable way of life. How he fares in that pursuit must depend principally on the person himself. It is nevertheless important that society, which through its laws makes the opportunity technically available to him, should assist his rehabilitation.

Such agencies as the John Howard Society strive to give that type of help. They cannot succeed by themselves. That is a point which any community should recognize, and recognizing, offer co-operation. The returns from such help need not be measured only in humanitarian values. They can be reduced to very practical terms. It is too expensive to allow a former inmate to drift back into a career of crime. Common sense and Christian virtue are combined in the reclamation effort.

Chips Off The Old Brock

By DAVID BROCK

A COUPLE of days ago I was reading about the various saints' days and other holy festivals that occur in August, and I saw that Aug. 5, last Sunday as ever was, was the day of Our Lady of the Snow. In my ignorance I had imagined

Kipling to be the inventor of that phrase... only, of course, he used the plural: Our Lady of the Snows. And he was referring to Canada, not to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Since there already was a real Our Lady of the Snow, I consider him slightly irreverent to apply such a phrase (plural or singular) to Canada. But it wasn't this that annoyed most Canadians. It was the hint that we were snowed under by an arctic climate that made the Canadians angry. They didn't mind Kipling's religion (such as it was). They just minded his geography. And they have not forgiven him even yet.

MUCH as I respect Kipling as a craftsman and reporter I still deplore his uncanny knack of saying the wrong thing. Anyone who could call a reigning monarch the Widow of Windsor (or was she the Widder at Windsor?) was simply looking for trouble. In Vermont they say (I don't know reliably) that Kipling and his American brother-in-law fought like wildcats. Whether he was gauche on purpose or gauche by accident doesn't really matter, for it is impossible to say which is worse. Myself, I have a private theory that he bore a grudge against the whole world because of the faulty vision which kept him out of the army. But I don't insist on that... it sounds likely, but beyond all final proof.

But before you begin to despise him, just look at who his friends were. Among the men who loved him were the Widder's grandson, George V, and Sir William Osler and John Buchan, and a host of other men of iron character and iron judgment. They couldn't all be wrong.

When Kipling was rude and/or mistaken about Americans, you must admit he had a very real grudge against them because of their copyright laws. Piratical American publishers robbed him of several fortunes. Some of them even re-wrote a few of his earlier works, which must be a form of libel... If you say a man has written certain ill-considered words when you have written them yourself, you are libelling him badly.

Somewhere among my books there is a curious American edition of some American travel notes of Kipling's. In this volume the publisher takes the liberty of replying to Kipling here and there. For example, Kipling will make a remark about the physical appearance of young American women, whereupon the publisher writes across the page in huge capital letters: OH, FIE, RUD-YARD!

Well, that's one way of brightening up the business of selling books (whether stolen or honestly bought). But I can never think that the late Joseph Rudyard Kipling was exactly pleased by this sort of enterprise. It was calculated to drive the poor man wild.

IF HE often said the wrong thing, he more often said the right one, in a style few of us could even appreciate, let alone copy. It is interesting, by the way, to note that the snob's hero, T. S. Eliot, is extremely fond of Kipling while the snobs are not. T. S. Eliot can read (as well as write). The snobs can't. Neither can parrots.

A hundred familiar Kipling quotations will flock into your mind the minute his name is mentioned. But here is one that is possibly unknown to you. It may have appeared in print, though I do not think so. Many years ago a friend of mine took her young nephew to the C.P.R. station in Vancouver to meet Kipling as the Great Man passed through the town. She thought her nephew would remember and appreciate this meeting all his life, though she wasn't sure about Kipling appreciating it.

BUT THE true chap was bored, rude, and awkward. When Kipling said to him "Well, my little man, and what are you going to be when you grow up?" his little man squirmed himself into a kind of human pretzel and said in a whiny drawl "Nawthing." (His aunt could have killed him, and nearly did.) "Going to be nothing are you?" said Kipling. "Yeah," said the horrible child. "Well," said Kipling, "that is going to be very expensive for your father."

That's about as nice a remark as you could make. Nice in both senses... both pleasing and exact. The master-tough.

INCIDENTALLY, it was once fashionable to make fun of Kipling for his tin-can politics. It may still be, for all I know... I am not in close touch with fashions (for which I think my Maker most devoutly). Kipling was a jingoist, a vulgar little Colonel Blimp, a twanger and a banger on an imperialistic banjo, and all that. So be it. But the funny thing is (if you care for jokes) that he was a bit more right than we were. The Blimps of this world were always about one-third wrong. But the anti-Blimps were (and are) always about two-thirds wrong.

On balance I think we should be rather careful, from now on, about making fun of the chaps who could have told us how to keep the world from collapsing. The chaps who could have told us in half a tick how to make Persians behave, for instance.

WE'VE sacked that lot... sacked the experts, I mean, not sacked the Persians. We prefer Foreign Ministers who sit around laughing at David Low cartoons. They are educated by Low, not by experience. They are not even very sure where Persia is, or who Persians are. All they know is what they read in the papers (like Will Rogers, who considered this a boast, not a confession). You can learn quite a lot from reading the right papers, at that. But not much from the left papers. These Foreign Office boys could even have learnt something from reading Kipling. It's a bit late for them to start reading him now. But it's going to be still later in the future.

River Stay 'Way From My Door



As Our Readers See It

BUTTER LAKE

On the pioneers of this country a great responsibility rests, and at this time the question of the work of Sir Richard McBride and the Strathcona Park issue needs the arousing of public opinion. Our national heritages are slipping slowly and noiselessly away by selfish exploitation, and it behooves every thinking citizen to raise the note of warning.

The question of "power" savors very much of the misuse of power, and our present government should consider the inheritance of those who follow after us, that we sell not our birthright for a mess of pottage.

A. CAROLYN BAYFIELD,
2585 Lansdowne Road.

MILK DELIVERIES

The points in Mrs. Cuppage's letter are well taken. We also have voluntarily had alternate daily deliveries and find it most satisfactory.

With a proper spread between cash and carry and delivery prices and with skip a day deliveries it is quite simple to obtain the odd quart or pint from the corner store, if short.

The important thing is that the savings made be passed on to the consumer. We most certainly should not be paying the same price for milk picked up at the dairies and creameries as when delivered. It costs up to six cents to deliver a quart of milk, probably more in some instances.

FRANK H. PARTRIDGE,
151 Beach Drive.

PITTSBURGH PLAN

There has been a controversy regarding milk prices. The remedy is easy—I solved the question myself years ago and this is the answer.

For 50 years I was a dairy farmer in Pittsburgh and the same question came up in my time there. The milk dealers had to have more money—the people did not have the money to pay more so I solved the problem in this way. I allowed customers to come to the

farm and gave them a certain discount off the price of the milk, which, in this case as the customers could not come to the farm would be certain store owners who would sell the milk to the customers from their various stores.

Another way was—where my market wagon was delivering once a day I made a certain discount if customers would take the milk every two days and thereby save me these deliveries.

For your information I wish to tell you that every morning there passes my house at 1765 Hollywood Crescent, not only one milkman but two others at least, which is merely duplication of effort.

ROBT. JACKSON,
1765 Hollywood Crescent.

BAGPIPES

We would like to extend sincere thanks to those people who spoke on our behalf during the recent series on CKDA Tel-Opinion on whether we should be allowed to continue playing our bagpipes on Government Street.

We feel that they expressed our side of the question very adequately, especially the gentleman who said he was a bus driver, and Mr. Dunnett.

We appreciate their kind interest and thank them for taking the trouble of phoning in.

DINAH KERR AND MARY FLETCHER,
3419 Cook St.

MELLOW INSTRUMENT

I agree wholeheartedly with the sentiments of Gladys Shrapnel regarding cello solos. We do not hear enough of this beautiful mellow instrument when we have the soloists right here with us.

I wonder if any Victorian has ever thrilled to the delightful playing of Augusta Van Biene in The Broken Melody? I have seen men wipe the tears from their eyes for the cello, well played, touches our heart strings as few other instruments do. So I hope our conductors will, during the coming winter season, give us this pleasure.

E. HIBBS,
810 Courtney Street.

Under Our Roof

By JOHN RHODES STURDY

DEAR Sir: (the letter from Swift Current, Sask., began, Gritniks! "I'm afraid to look at the signature."

I told my wife, "I'm afraid I'm going to find Little Augie's name."

("You mean that bootlegger from Back East?" my wife asked.) ("Shh!" I cautioned.

"Never call Little Augie that. On second thought, never call Little Augie anything—particularly if it has more than one syllable in it. I remember an appreciative gentleman in Little Augie's place on Craig Street, back in the Old Days, who raised his glass and called Little Augie a humanitarian.")

("What happened?" my wife asked.) ("I shuddered. 'Anyway,' I said, 'in the trade Little Augie is known as a Purveyor of Potables to the Under-Privileged. That's anybody who doesn't live in Quebec or Ontario.'")

("Well go ahead and read the letter to me," my wife said.) ("You'll be so-rry," I said.)

You will be Wondering what I am doing in this place in Sask. (the letter continued). When I left hamish and col. a skeffington-smutts (ret.) in Winnipeg they were going out to your place on the Island and I was staying in Winnipeg where I understood there were openings for a man in my Trade. Things are getting Tougher and Tougher in Canada to make an Honest living because in a lot of places they are now selling it by the Glass and making it Legal. But they told me everything was still All Right in Manitoba and private enterprise could flourish.

("He must have been attending night school on the side," I remarked to my wife.)

"Well you know me, Jack (Little Augie went on), you could never say that little augie did not do things strictly legitimate and Above Board so I contacted the Right

People first thing and said I would like to start a Small Place, nothing Fancy and would they give one of those cards from Blanche. At the usual commission of course. And they said: we know your Reputation, little augie, and we would like to have you in our city because we Realize you would operate a Dignified and Select Joint, but unfortunately our hands are Tied.

Well, I said, what do you mean, and they said that so many Operators had been coming out from the East where their Business had been ruined by cocktail bars that the Local Boys had been forced to Protect their territory and had formed the Gateway To The West Blind Pig Operators Protective and Benevolent Association, Inc. so I went to the Headquarters of this association and the girl at the front desk was very Nice and said she would be Glad to take my name and address and they would Call Me if there was an Opening.

Well you know how much those Promises are worth and anyway they have a six months residence clause in the constitution of the association. ("He must be going to college," I said to my wife.)

So I could see no future in that City so I decided I would try my luck in Sask. but too many people make Their Own in this province that there is not much future for a Commercial operator and at the moment I am working in a horsemeat factory, which seems to be about the Biggest thing around these parts at the moment.

Yesterday a man came to me and said, little augie, why dont you go to h.c.? The working conditions there are Excellent particularly in your Line and if you have friends Out There they would be the nucleus of your clientele and you could go on to Bigger Things from there. So I have decided to join hamish and col. a skeffington-smutts (ret.) at your Place, and please advise your friends that my motto is still the same—CASH ONLY—NO CHECKS ACCEPTED. Yours faithfully, signed wit my own fist, little augie.

Mao And The New Theory

By JOSEPH AND STEWART ALSOP
From Washington

THE current evidence which strongly suggests that bitter conflict between Stalin's Russia and Mao Tse-tung's China may be brewing below the surface has already been described in this space. What lends added weight to this evidence is the fact that the roots of conflict stretch back deep and long into the past.

No sensible estimate of the present relationship between Mao Tse-tung's regime and the Kremlin is possible without an understanding of this past. For it is not generally understood that Mao is the only national Communist leader—except Tito—who has deviated seriously from the Kremlin line and lived to tell the tale.

The whole story is complicated. But thanks in part to a well-documented forthcoming book, "Chinese Communism and the Rise of Mao," by Benjamin Schwartz of the Russian Research Centre, the essential facts can be briefly and simply told.

As long ago as 1927, Mao Tse-tung (who is, in his own fashion, certainly an authentic genius) was already becoming convinced that successful revolution in China could only be based squarely on the Chinese peasantry. The urban workers, relatively few in non-industrial China, could be too easily suppressed.

This, it must be understood, was rank heresy. In all the Communist holy books, it is written that Communist revolution can only be based on the "urban proletariat"; otherwise, communism is a "head without a body." Nevertheless, in 1927, Mao organized the "autumn harvest uprisings" among the peasants. In so doing, as Mao himself blandly remarks in his autobiography, he was "opposed by the Comintern."

For this sin against Moscow's holy doctrine, Mao was repudiated by the Central Committee of the party, dismissed from the Chinese Politburo, and even, apparently, placed on probation as a rank-and-file party member. Soon thereafter, the Kremlin dispatched Li Li-san, a Chinese Communist who, unlike Mao, had received the regulation Moscow schooling, to head the Chinese Communists.

Fresh from Moscow, Li Li-san tried to promote revolution among the city workers, in accordance with the orthodox Moscow doctrine. His efforts met with disaster. Meanwhile, Mao stubbornly continued to organize the rural peasantry into a "Red Army," and in 1930 he began to have his first successes against Chiang Kai-shek.

In 1931, Li Li-san was dismissed, and Mao Tse-tung became "Chairman of the Chinese Soviet Republic." According to the available evidence, this was not because Moscow so ordered matters, but simply because by this time Mao controlled the real source of power in the Chinese party.

This history of an old, doctrinal battle may seem beside the point to the Western mind. But it must be remembered that a good Stalinist is fanatically doctrinaire, and that more heads have rolled for deviation from the strict body of Stalinist doctrine than ever rolled during the Inquisition. This ancient history takes on very real and present meaning, moreover, in view of what has happened since.

Just possibly, the Kremlin may accept the equal partnership which Mao offers. Or the Kremlin may capture the Chinese Communist apparatus. Or Mao himself, tubercular, and old by Chinese standards, may die, to be replaced by a more submissive man—perhaps his old rival, Li Li-san.

But surely it is reasonable to suppose that Maoism, which threatens not only the Kremlin's control of Asiatic communism, but also the whole elaborate doctrine of Stalin's infallibility, has shaken the Kremlin at least as much as Titoism ever did.

Ups And Downs

By BRIAN TORIN

"IT'S going to be," said the Elevator Man, "a big shock to a lot of hopeful people, but a London doctor says it takes a 70-mile walk at three and a half miles an hour to work off one pound of fat."

For those threatened with growing waistlines and such, who have fondly hoped that a couple of minutes' exercises in the morning or evening would do the trick, that's bad news. It looks as though the token gestures were just token gestures and you have to work as hard at taking the pounds off as you did at putting them on. The only trouble is, it isn't such pleasant work. It wasn't on the census lists, but there isn't much doubt that a survey would show people would much rather work hard with their jaws than with their arms or legs. Jaw muscles can exert a greater pressure than any of the others.

And eating and talking, even at the same time, is the favorite pastime of a good part of the earth's inhabitants. Going down!

"Well," said the Elevator Man, "it's a funny thing that eating and talking have so much in common. Too much of either can get you into quite a jam. Perhaps eating is the safest in the long run. Many a person would be glad to walk 70 miles at three and a half miles an hour if it would take off the weight that too much unwise walking has put on their shoulders. But there is no reducing diet for over-talking like there is for over-eating. You just have to sweat it out. And it's no fun having to swallow your words. The little ones with a sting in them can choke you worse than the big ones. Lower main!"

"It's easy," said the Elevator Man, "for your tongue to give you away. You likely remember that story about the two girls. Says Nellie, 'I wonder what men talk about when they're off by themselves.' 'Why?' says Gerrie, 'Probably the same thing we do.' 'Oh,' says the other, 'aren't they awful!'"

3-Year Hiccup Case Seeks Portland Aid

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—A 25-year-old Californian who has been hiccuping every second for three years is in Portland today seeking relief.

Jack O'Leary is here to be treated by Dr. John B. Hand, staff member of the Portland clinic. The Los Angeles man, on a hiccup marathon since he was 22, arrived in Portland yesterday with his mother and his 12-year-old sister Darlene.

Two hundred doctors have failed to stop O'Leary's hiccup which has racked his thin frame and caused great black circles around his eyes.

O'Leary came to Dr. Hand on the advice of several Salt Lake City doctors who tried to cure him.

FEED FROM BABY BOTTLES

Strange Plans For Mass Channel Swim

FOLKESTONE, Eng. (UP)—Britain's one-day channel swimming circus starts at 3.45 a.m. August 13, weather permitting, and the 20 contestants are gathering on the beach in all their glory.

The first man and the first woman to swim the 23 airline miles from England to Cape Gris Nez, France, will get \$2,800 each and a trophy cup from the London Daily Mail which sponsors the show. The next pair in will get \$1,400 each and other finishers will get \$700.

Little Eileen Fenton of Britain, five feet one inch and 118 pounds, is the smallest competitor. The largest is Egyptian Marcen Hassan Hamman, over six feet and 243 pounds. The oldest is Ned Barnie of Scotland, 54, one of the four men who have swum the channel both ways.

Bronzed Mrs. Betty Chon, 51, Brooklyn, N.Y., grandmother, is here but her entry came too late for the Daily Mail race. She hopes to swim by herself next week-end.

Preparations of the entrants are weird. Hamman and France's Roger Le Morvin intend to feed themselves from nipples baby bottles on the way across. Gold-toothed Greek Jazon Zinganos plans to eat nuts and drink sherry.

Hamman, who can eat three rabbits at one meal, also will have a reserve supply of food in his pilot boat in case he gets really hungry.

Arabi of Egypt plans to eat one pound of onions before he takes off, and his pilot should be able to find him easily in event of fog.

Peace Through Strength, Says Britain's Eden

DENVER (AP)—Anthony Eden called Monday night for the United States and Britain to develop "a true brotherhood, intimate and unselfish" to lead the struggle for peace through the Atlantic Pact.

"In this we need the loyal co-operation of all free nations," the deputy leader of Britain's Conservative party said in a speech prepared for delivery at Denver University's World Affairs Institute.

"But one condition is indispensable to freedom and to progress the world over. You and we—the United States and the British Commonwealth and Empire—must stand and work together. . . . When we are disunited we do the Soviets' job better than they can do it themselves."

"The Soviets may from time to time offer friendly words and gestures," he said. "We should not test them out. On no account must we relax our purpose, which is to seek peace through strength."

Effort In Vain

NORTH HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (AP)—Actor William Holden rescued an elderly neighbor from her swimming pool last night, but it was too late. She died later in a hospital. Mrs. Edith Van Duesen, 67, was found floating in the pool by a relative who summoned Holden from across the street. Holden dived in and pulled Mrs. Van Duesen from the water. Then he applied artificial respiration until the fire department squad arrived.



Builds Radio For Exhibition

A hand-made portable radio with both speaker and headphones, suitable for hospital beds, will be exhibited in the Pacific National Exhibition in Vancouver by its builder, Miss Audrey L. Downham, 3924 Blenkinsop Road. Other local exhibitors will be Gerald S. Rees, 2537 Fernwood Road, with a scale model of the 1914 H.M.S. Queen Elizabeth; Vincent Field, Sidney, with wood inlaid pictures, and J. R. Fyfe, Ganges, who will show a selection of plastics.

Dead 16 Minutes, Woman Came Back To Life After Operation

NEW YORK (AP)—The American Journal of Surgery tells today of a woman brought back to life after being apparently dead 16 minutes during an abdominal operation.

The woman, 25, and identified only as R.H., recovered. Her case is described by Drs. Harry S. Ivory, Point Pleasant, N.J., and Harvey Rinzler, Toms River, N.J.

Usually, doctors set five minutes as the limit before the chance of revival is gone, or for revival without serious brain damage from lack of circulation. Some persons have come back 30 to 40 minutes after their hearts stopped, but most of this time doctors were squeezing their hearts to pump blood to the brain.

The problem, so far as record length of time goes, is exactly how long there had been no heart beat, without artificial pumping. One thing in this woman's favor was her youth.

Margaret, Queen of Denmark, Norway and Sweden in the 14th century, was married to Haakon VI of Norway at the age of 10.

Kindergarten Proximity To Pub Disturbs Reeve

Some doubts arose at an Esquimalt Council meeting Monday as to whether a kindergarten and a beer parlor should operate side by side.

The matter came up for discussion when Mrs. N. I. Mickelson applied for permission to operate a private kindergarten at 1305 Esquimalt Road.

The application was about to be voted upon when Reeve A. I. Thomas pointed out that the site was near a beer parlor. He was of the opinion that some parents might not like the location.

"I would give this matter some serious thought before taking any action on it," he said. "There's a beer parlor not far away. There might be many complications. Think of those children."

The councillors pondered the matter and decided to consider the proposal for another two weeks before voting on the application.

REFUSE TAX GRANT

Mrs. Mickelson told the council that parents had shown no objection to having a nursery school near a beer parlor. "Besides, the kindergarten will be operating in the morning, between 9 and noon," she said.

The council also turned down a request from the Salvation Army for a tax exemption on Sunset Lodge on Arm Street which was

Ontario Returns Home

H.M.C.S. Ontario left Monterey, Calif., today after a four-day visit, and will arrive in Esquimalt Thursday, R.C.N. headquarters, announced. This is the fourth of a series of short coastal cruises undertaken by the ship to provide new entries with sea training.



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Smoke Problem Responsibility Of Everyone

Boiler Inspector Surveys Question

The finger of blame for smoke nuisance in the city which has been pointing squarely at industries in the northern section was blunted somewhat Monday at a meeting of the City Council's fire wardens' committee.

Appearing before the group voluntarily to give advice and to offer help was D. R. Fraser, provincial boiler inspector here.

"We hear lots about smoke from mills now, but in winter, industries contribute only a small part of the trouble," he said.

He added that when fires are started in furnaces all over town—when coal is thrown on at the start—there is smoke in all parts of the city.

Mr. Fraser's comprehensive summary of smoke conditions and how they can be minimized or cured impressed the committee, and it was decided to ask D. Denman, chief provincial boiler inspector at Vancouver, to continue to authorize such cooperation.

AUTOMATIC STOKING HELPS

Automatic stoking would do away with much of the smoke, Mr. Fraser said, but noted in the case of many smaller mills, the considerable expenditure necessary for larger boilers (he mentioned a figure of around \$50,000), would be too great.

He agreed that some mills can do more to cut down smoke because they are equipped to do so—and would if pressure were brought to bear on them.

To enforce an anti-smoke by-law, however, would mean an efficient technical man would be required as inspector, he continued.

The committee was interested in Mr. Fraser's suggestion that excess fuel which is now disposed of by burning could be made into a profitable by-product such as fuel pellets or "presto logs."

But the only way it would be feasible to set up a plant to turn out such saleable items would be if the mill men were to go in together on it, because such a plant likely would cost from \$200,000 to \$300,000, Mr. Fraser thought.

"If it would pay for itself in time, it certainly is worth looking into," said Ald. Aubrey Kent.

Works Minister Will Officiate At Truck Rodeo

British Columbia's top "rodeo scholar," Works Minister E. C. Carson will act as honorary rodeo master and starter for the B.C. Provincial Truck Rodeo, Sept. 14 and 15 in Vancouver.

In accepting the invitation of the Automotive Transport Association of B.C., Works Minister Carson congratulated the A.T.A. for continuing its program of highway safety.

"Great credit is due you for keeping up this good work," he stated.

Last year, Mr. Carson acted in a similar capacity at B.C.'s first annual B.C. Provincial Truck Rodeo which saw leading drivers from all parts of the province vie for honors in safety, efficiency and courtesy in highway driving.

When the monasteries built in England during the Renaissance were dissolved and became ruin, the tiles used in them for floors were still in such good condition that often they were removed and used to repair local buildings.

BEDTIME STORY

by Thornton W. Burgess

At times 'tis better, and is right,
To run away, not try to fight.
—Striped Chipmunk.

Shadow the Weasel was hunting along the old stone wall between the Old Orchard and the Green Meadows. It was a long time since Shadow had visited the old stone wall. Indeed, it was so long that some of the little people living in that neighborhood had almost forgotten there was any such person as Shadow the Weasel.

Sammy Jay had been the first to see him and had given the alarm. Now that they knew of his presence, the little feathered folk had little to fear, for of course Shadow cannot fly. But there was one person who had everything to fear. It was little Striped Chipmunk. There is no enemy in all the Great World whom Striped Chipmunk fears more, or has more reason to fear, than Shadow the Weasel.

Striped Chipmunk cannot fly away from Shadow the Weasel, nor is he fast enough to run away. Moreover, anywhere that Striped Chipmunk can go, Shadow can follow. Do you wonder that the pretty little member of the Squirrel family who wears a striped coat is filled with a terrible fear when he knows or suspects that Shadow the Weasel is in his neighborhood?

He knew it now. He knew too that Shadow was hunting him; that it was his hunger for a Chipmunk dinner that had brought him over to the old stone wall. Also Striped Chipmunk knew that if Shadow caught him he would then catch Mrs. Chipmunk, and the four baby Chipmunks in their snug underground home. He must not only save himself, but save them as well. They didn't even know



Shadow was around. Even had they known there was nothing they could do to help themselves. Only he could save them.

Striped Chipmunk had to think fast. Whatever he did would have to be done quickly. Shadow the Weasel is very nimble on his feet. He is so quick that he appears and disappears as if by magic. This is why he has been named Shadow. What could he do?

Now, all this time Farmer Brown's Boy had been watching. He had understood what the sudden stillness meant. Striped Chipmunk and many of the bird folk had been singing their happiness. They had stopped singing as suddenly as if their voices had been turned off by a switch as an electric light is turned off. So he had stood perfectly still, watching and waiting.

"Ha!" he exclaimed as he caught just a glimpse of a small person darting in and out of the openings in the old stone wall. He knew right away what it meant. He knew why Shadow was there. He knew that Striped Chipmunk had never been in greater danger than he now was. Should he interfere? Could he interfere? He could at least try.

Appearance Of Dare Devils To Be Sponsored By Gyros

Steps to have the Victoria appearance of the Hollywood Dare-Devils auto "stunt" drivers under Gyro Club sponsorship were taken at a luncheon meeting of the club in the Empress today. Members voted approval of the club executive's suggestion to accept a profit-sharing arrangement offered by representatives of the Dare-Devils, now on a tour of Canadian cities. The club hopes to obtain permission of Sooke School District officials for use of the former Langford Speedway, located on what is now school district property.

The stunt drivers are due to appear here Aug. 22 and 23. Club members were informed that net proceeds of the recent Hole-in-One contest would fall about \$200 short of the expected \$5,000.

Following the business portion of the meeting, club members saw a color movie "Holiday In New Zealand," photographed, produced and shown by Ernest H. Scott.

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Congress Plans Exhaustive Search Into West Point Cribbing Scandal

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP)—Congress began checking into the West Point cribbing scandal today, as individual lawmakers denounced the Military Academy faculty but disagreed over the abolition of service football.

Senator Clyde Hoey (Dem., N.C.) sent representatives of the Senate expenditures investigating sub-committee into action for a check of complaints that 90 cadets threatened with dismissal for cheating on examinations got what some of them called a "raw deal."

Members of the Senate armed services committee remained undecided whether they will take over the inquiry, as they said he will be glad for them to do. Chairman Carl Vinson (Dem., Ga.) said the armed services committee of the House of Representatives wants none of it.

Whatever form the investigation takes, lawmakers left little doubt that army football and the academy examination system, as well as the men who run them, will face some searching questioning.

Several senators seconded the

complaint of football coach Earl Blaik, whose team would be practically wiped out by the dismissals, that the erring cadets were being pictured "almost in the light of criminals."

"I am sure that when the whole story is understood, no fair-minded man will condemn them," Blaik added.

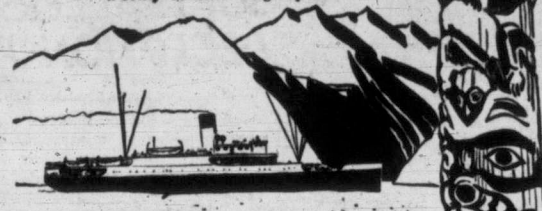
Some senators said the West Point faculty must share the blame for the scandal, along with the students.

Senator William Benton (Dem., Conn.) proposed (1) abolition of big-time football at West Point and Annapolis, (2) placing of the accused cadets on probation, rather than firing them, and (3) a congressional investigation of the curriculum and education standards at the two service academies.

Senator Robert Kerr (Dem., Okla.) disagreed vigorously with the proposal to abolish big-time football.

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Russia Denounces Picket 'Hooligans'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Pickets who jostled and thumped a Russian on Park Avenue four nights ago were formally denounced by the Russian government Monday as "hooligans." The incident was mentioned in a resolution adopted by the Russian Presidium (governing body) when the Soviet or Parliament is not in session) Monday.

Some 150 marchers, members of the American-Hungarian Federation, have been picketing in front of the Soviet headquarters. The demonstration has been in protest against conditions in Red-dominated Hungary.



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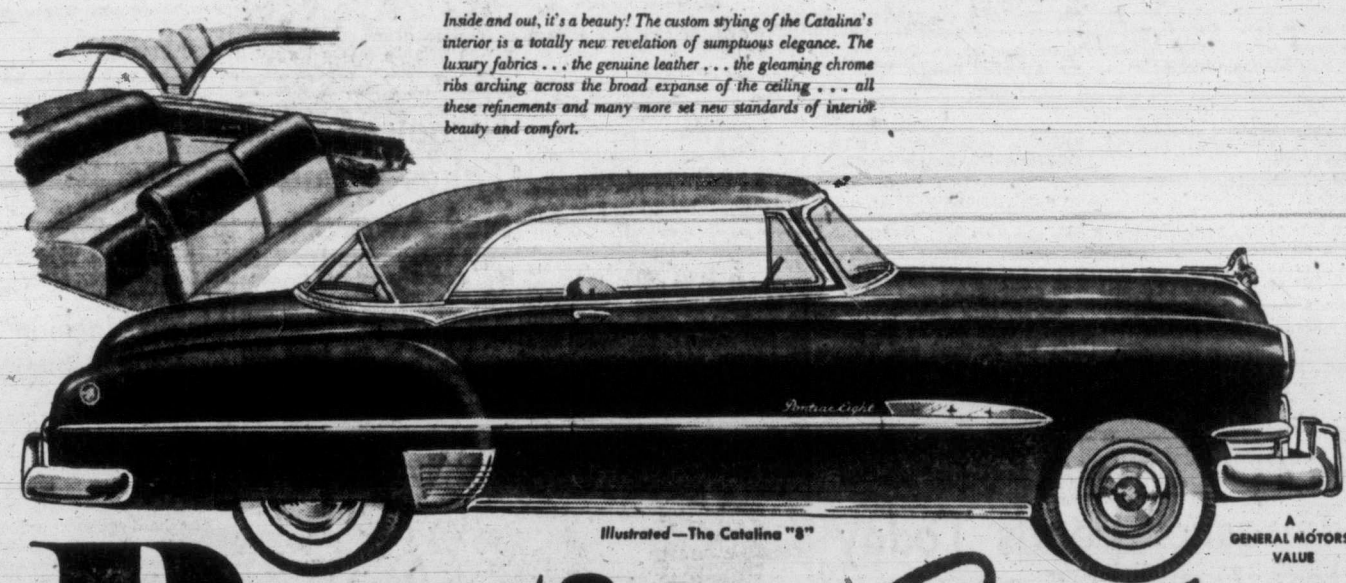


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Happy Birthday, Dear Boss

Led by golden-voiced Bill White, Victoria Athletics sang their best wishes to manager Bob Sturgeon last night on the occasion of the A's manager's 31st birthday.

BEAVERS WIN

A's Set For Yakima Series

Now that Portland Beavers have come and gone the Victoria Athletics can revert to the serious business at hand of winning ball games with one object always in view—a Western International League playoff berth.

The A's take on the Barrett-bolstered Yakima Bears tonight in the first of a four-game series that is vital to the club's chances. Bill Osborn, who threw a one-hitter at Tri-City Braves in his last start, has been named by manager Bob Sturgeon to work the series opener.

The Beavers made their much heralded appearance last night and stayed around long enough to dust off the A's 9-4, though the A's didn't help their own cause any by contributing three errors to the proceedings.

As a matter of fact the A's outthrew their Coast League parental club 11-8, but the Beavers took full advantage of all breaks that came their way.

Southpaw Ben Lorino started for the locals and retired after two frames with a shutout to his credit.

John Tierney came on and promptly walked pitcher Vince DiBiasi, gave up a single to Eddie Bates and loaded the bases by hitting Ed Basinski with a pitched ball.

After Tierney got by the fourth inning in quick order, Bill Carr made his debut.

It wasn't impressive as he gave up five bases on balls, an infield single to Basinski and a one-bagger to Austin. Combined with an error by Bill Dunn on a double play attempt, this generosity enabled the Beavers to pick up four runs.

Carr redeemed himself by shutting the gate in the next two frames and was succeeded by Bill Prior.

FIVE A's AT .300 MARK Thrasher Leads Today But Leaves Tomorrow

Five today, four tomorrow. That's the story of the Victoria Athletics' "over 300 club."

At present time Art Thrasher, Ben Jeffrey, Don Pries, Jim Clark and Gene Thompson are all batting at or better than a .300 clip. Thrasher, however, will leave the club tomorrow for Sacramento of the Pacific Coast League.

Thompson has had the biggest surge. He hit the 300 mark on Saturday. Since Bob Sturgeon took over the helm for the A's Thompson has been hitting at a .381 clip, picking up 16 doubles, a triple and four home runs and batting in 30 runs in that time.

Thrasher leads the club at bat, tomorrow Pries will be high man on the list.

WHITE LEADER

Bill White, although he is in a slump, leads the club in individual departments. He has batted in 73 runs and is high man in total bases, home runs, triples and doubles. Pries, who has also slipped, is the pace setter in hits, runs scored and stolen bases.

Averages follow:

Thrasher .381, Pries .375, Clark .361, Thompson .350, Jeffrey .340, White .330, Bates .320, Osborn .310, Sturgeon .300, Dunn .290, Tierney .280, Bates .270, Bates .260, Bates .250, Bates .240, Bates .230, Bates .220, Bates .210, Bates .200, Bates .190, Bates .180, Bates .170, Bates .160, Bates .150, Bates .140, Bates .130, Bates .120, Bates .110, Bates .100, Bates .090, Bates .080, Bates .070, Bates .060, Bates .050, Bates .040, Bates .030, Bates .020, Bates .010, Bates .000.



Don't Be Low Man On This

Officially welcoming the Portland Beavers to Victoria last night, Athletic Booster Club president Frank Ireland presented Portland manager Bill Sweeney with a colorful totem pole in commemoration of the first time a Coast League club has appeared in Victoria. Beavers defeated Victoria Athletics 9-4.

SOFTBALLERS EXECUTE DECEPTION PERFECTLY

By LEON HALL

Victoria senior A-men's softball reached its lowest ebb in recent years at Central Park last night for the following reasons:

- 1. Admission was charged to a game that was defaulted to Bluebird Gabs (properly attired) before it ever started. 2. A game of sorts was played with players recruited from the stands performing for B.C. Forest Products. Such players were in nondescript garb. 3. Batting averages of the regulars only were included in the official statistics. 4. The public was not at any time informed that the game was only an exhibition. 5. The money was not refunded.



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Sparks To Captain City Cricket Side

To Jack Sparks, veteran Oak Bay bowler, will go the honor of leading the Victoria and district all-star cricket club against the touring Marylebone team Aug. 26 at Beacon Hill Park.

TODAY FINAL DATE FOR DERBY TICKETS

Today marks the last chance for qualifiers in the Victoria and Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association ladder derby to pick up their registration tickets for the final fish-off Sunday. Tickets must be obtained from Wilson and Lenesty's sporting goods store by 5:30 today.

Nicholson Takes Island Net Award

Salt Spring Island junior tennis players competed against Duncan's juniors at a tournament at South Cowichan courts over the week-end.

Negro Lineman To Captain Alouettes

MONTREAL (AP) — Herb Trawick, veteran lineman with Alouettes, today was named team captain for 1951, the first time in Canadian football that a Negro has been named to such a position.

Win Festival Soccer

GLASGOW (Reuters) — Dumbarton last night won the Scottish Festival of Britain soccer tournament final, defeating Ayr United 2-1 in overtime.

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FULLA TO START IN ALL-STAR NET

Island Team Named For Benefit Game

As expected, Victoria Shamrocks dominated the island all-star box lacrosse team which will meet the mainland all-stars in the Intercity Lacrosse League's benefit for the injured players' funds at Memorial Arena Aug. 20.

Chosen by sportswriters from Nanaimo and Victoria the all-star team, however, occasioned some surprises, probably out of sentiment to the Nanaimo squad.

Nine members of the league-leading Shamrocks were named to the squad with seven Native Sons gaining the remaining berths.

Fred Fulla, Nanaimo's great rookie candidate was voted the starting assignment in the nets though he and Andrews each received the same number of votes.

Coach Arnold Ferguson of the Shamrocks was a unanimous choice for one of the defence posts with Red McMillan running a close second.

Nanaimo's Gordie Nickle and Buck Bennie were picked as the other defensive unit.

BLONDE TRIO

The Rocks' poker-faced high-scoring trio of Whitey Severson, Norm Baker and Arch Browning were named the first string forward line with Lisle Scott of the Sons as rover.

However, with Baker currently being sidelined with injuries, Bob Monaghan took the first line berth by reversion.

The second attacking line will be composed of Darrell Popham of the Shamrocks at rover, and Harry Irwin and Spud Morello of the Sons and Duff McCaghey of the Rocks at forwards.

Nanaimo's Don White was listed as utility man. He received the same number of votes as Larry Booth and Norm Coates.

Ferguson was voted team coach with Ralph Baker of the Rocks as manager.

King's Plate Winner Asked To Pimlico Run

BALTIMORE (AP)—The three winners of the triple crown races, Count Turf, Bold and Countpoint, got invitations today to have a showdown in the Pimlico special.

E. P. Taylor's Major Factor, winner of the 1951 King's Plate, top event for Canadian-bred three-year-olds, also drew an invitation.

The triple crown winners are among 21 eligibles so far for the 15th special to be run on a date to be announced during the Pimlico meeting starting Oct. 27.

Winners of 39 specified stakes all over the country during the year are eligible for the \$15,000 mile and three-sixteenths race.

The unique conditions of the special provide for the winner to take the whole purse and win betting only. It's open to horses of all ages and sex, and costs nothing to compete.

Marylebones Score 429

OTTAWA (CP) — England's touring Marylebone Cricket Club eleven put on its greatest show of its Canadian tour so far Monday dismissing an Ottawa Valley team for 69 runs and going on to amass a total of 429.

M.C.C. officially won by nine wickets. But for the benefit of spectators, the inning was continued until stumps were drawn by which time M.C.C. had gathered a total of 429.

'MR. X' HAS POLE IN RACE FOR COMMISSIONER

NEW YORK (AP)—Who is the "Mr. X" the club owners refuse to identify as their dark horse candidate for baseball commissioner?

As the 16 big league executives convened today to elect or get a closer line on their next commissioner, "Mr. X" appeared to be the possible choice over the "big five" in the fore of the speculation.

The five are Gen. Douglas MacArthur, the tremendous national figure; James A. Farley, the business man; and George Trautman, Ford Frick and Warren Giles, the baseball men.

Others on the slate containing some 30 to 35 names include Gov. Frank J. Lausche of Ohio, Sen. Edwin Johnson (D.) of Colorado, and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court Fred M. Vinson.

But the identity of "Mr. X" remains a deep, dark secret.

Baseball School Starts Thursday

General manager Reg Patterson of the Victoria Athletics today announced that the club's annual baseball school will take place between the hours of 10 and 1 Thursday and Friday of this week.

Manager Bob Sturgeon and members of the Athletics will assist with the school while it is hoped to have Yakima manager Bill Brenner and Vancouver mentor, Bill Schuster, on hand on the respective days their clubs play here.

Yakima will be in town Thursday and Vancouver Friday, FUNDAMENTALS

Object of the school is to teach the fundamentals of the game to the city and island's minor players.

There will be no registration as previously announced, but rather the school will be thrown wide open to any over the age of 12 years who wish to attend.

Players are advised to come equipped with baseball shoes and gloves. Uniforms are not absolutely necessary.

The class will be divided into groups such as infielders, outfielders, pitchers and catchers. Instruction will be given in fielding, throwing, batting, running the bases and other aspects of the game.

Sets Swim Mark

HAMILTON, Bermuda (AP)—Wayne, Moore of Bridgeport, Conn., United States 200 and 400-metre free-style swimming champion, bettered the accepted world standard for 30 yards free-style last night with a time of 2:57.6 in the mid-ocean championships.

Moore again defeated the Australian, John Marshall, who holds the record at 3:01.4.

STUNK FROM START Slight Odor Evident As Graziano Victor

BOSTON (AP)—Rocky Graziano, who hopes to regain the world middleweight championship, won another fight last night from Chuck Hunter of Cleveland—but there was considerable confusion before the verdict was announced finally.

Massachusetts boxing commissioners announced, belatedly, "Graziano wins. Hunter is disqualified and his purse forfeited to the commonwealth."

Graziano, who had a similar experience four weeks ago in Kansas City with Cecil Hudson of Milwaukee, appeared to have knocked out Hunter late in the second round.

Referee Ed McDonald began counting when Hunter went down after being hit on the chin by a Graziano right cross.

McDonald appeared to have counted Hunter out, but the

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BUTTLE LAKE BEAUTY DISCOVERED IN 1910

Girl Who Accompanied DeBeck Expedition Recalls Passage Of Strathcona Park Bill

The spotlight now shining on Strathcona Park in the controversy over B.C. Power Commission's proposed damming of Buttle Lake burned just as bright in 1910-11 when its 529,920 acres were set aside "for the use, recreation and enjoyment" of the public.

The man who turned the switch was Hon. Price Ellison, Minister of Finance in the MacBride Government, who formerly held the portfolio known in those days as Commissioner of Lands.

Glimmers of those days 40 years ago were recalled today by a daughter of the discoverer of Strathcona, Mrs. Myra DeBeck, in a telephone interview from her old family home at Vernon.

Mrs. DeBeck, widow of the late Norman DeBeck who was a cousin of E. K. DeBeck, clerk of the British Columbia Legislature, is well qualified to give the background to the establishment of the famous park.

She accompanied her father, who organized a party of 23 which trekked into Strathcona in 1910.

The expedition led to the passage of an act in the Provincial House the following year, piloted by Ellison, setting up the park and defining the boundaries.

GREAT INTEREST
Mrs. DeBeck told of great interest shown by the public generally in her father's expedition into the unknown country of Vancouver Island's interior.

The interest was stimulated, probably, by the fact that she was a member of the exploration party.

Few women or girls of the early century period would have dreamed of voluntarily submitting themselves to the hardships of such a trip.

Mrs. DeBeck took them in her stride, recalling: "The wonders of that beautiful country more than made up for the difficulties of the journey."

Included in the expedition were a surveyor, lumber cruiser, forester, photographer, packers and native rivermen.

They headed up Campbell River on the morning of July 1, 1910, in three canoes.

"GLORIOUS SIGHT"
Mrs. DeBeck remembers well the paddling and portaging required to reach Lower Campbell Lake, then Upper Campbell, and finally Buttle Lake in the heart of the park area.

"It was a glorious sight to behold—the scene which greeted us at Buttle," she recalled.

A base camp was set up on the present-day "dispute site" where the technicians in the party remained to take stock of the wealth of the surrounding country.

Ellison and his daughter continued through the mountainous region with one of the canoe crews, working through to Great Central Lake, and finally arriving at Alberni.

The return to civilization came six weeks after the memorable beginning of July when the three canoes started up Campbell River.

Mrs. DeBeck recalled that her father was "sold" on the territory as a provincial park before they were half way through the trip.

The receipt came a short time later when technical data on resources in the area was submitted by the members of the party who had remained at Buttle.

Mrs. DeBeck's father speeded the wheels which he had already started to preserve the wonderland for future generations, and early in 1911 the Legislature passed the necessary bill.

The Ellison expedition was followed two years later by a 16-member party from the Alpine Club of Canada, headed by A. O. Wheeler, and reports of the findings in Strathcona confirmed the story told by the earlier group.

Records in the Provincial Archives from the alpinists describe the climbing of "the Matterhorn of Strathcona"—Mount Elkhorn.

The magnificence of the forests inspired Wheeler to write: "I have no hesitation in saying that a motor road leading amidst the depths of the trees would alone be a sufficient attraction to make a visit to the park worthwhile."

"Glorious colored" lakes of Strathcona were described as well as "fairland" glades under the tall trees, sparkling rivers and rippling streams with foaming falls, and wild flowers and heather in abundance.

Mrs. DeBeck's description of Buttle as "wonderful, simply wonderful" is repeated in the written record of Wheeler.

And Mrs. DeBeck's plea—"Do everything you can to keep Buttle from being spoiled"—is echoed over and over by all who have been privileged to taste its beauty.

India Gets First Load U.S. Grain

BOMBAY, India (Reuters)—The 7,607-ton U.S. freighter Tuscon Victory docked here today with the first shipment of grain under the United States' \$190,000,000 loan agreement for emergency aid to India.

In a ceremony at Bombay Harbor Food Minister Thirumal Rao accepted a token bag of grain draped in the American and Indian flags from Glifford G. Taylor, American agricultural attaché.

The food aid is a sincere manifestation of the deep friendship that exists between the peoples of India and the United States," Rao said.

The American wheat will be rushed to scarcity-stricken areas in Bihar and Madras states. Special trains were standing by to clear the cargo speedily and carry it to the interior.

Allan Ramsay, Scottish poet who died in 1798, made a comfortable living as a wig-maker.

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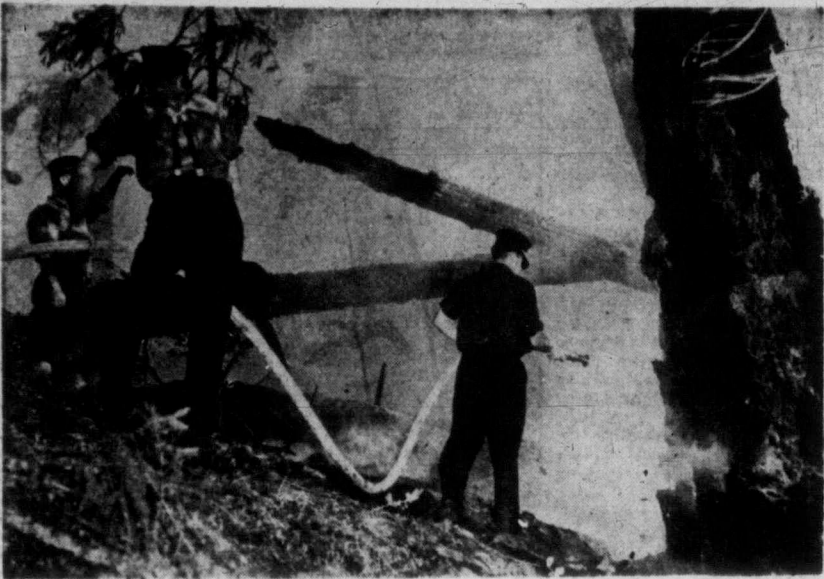
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Saanich Crew In Thick Of Battle Against Fire

Controlling vigorous backfire in Highlands blaze one-half mile southwest of Prospect Lake today were Lieut. Hector McNeill of Saanich fire department, holding nozzle; fireman J. Robbins, holding hose, and fireman George Adams in background. Water was pumped from Saanich fire department tankers.



FIREFIGHTING HAZARD little known to city folk is danger of stumbling on hive of angry bees. Here George Adams of Saanich fire department gives first aid treatment to Gerald Moseley, Luxton faller, badly stung at back of head while working on fire near Prospect Lake. "I'm still dizzy," Moseley said an hour after he was stung.

Gonzales Road Tree Will Be Spared—Temporarily

ON THE TIMES ON VACATION

Art Stott, writer of On the Times, is on vacation for three weeks.

Anonymous Suggestion Idea Flayed

Provincial government employees are incensed over a Civil Service Commission move inviting anonymous suggestions for improvement of efficiency in government offices.

It is not likely, however, that the B.C. Government Employees' Association will make an official protest to the government.

A spokesman for the employees' group said today "every one" was "very much annoyed" over an open letter sent to each civil servant asking for ideas that would step up efficiency in government departments.

FEAR TALE-TELLING

The plan was all right, but the suggestion that "ideas" could be sent anonymously was feared a dangerous step that could set off employees against one another for personal advantages.

Members welcomed the announcement recently that a thorough study was being instigated, an announcement, incidentally, which followed the granting of wage increases.

The indication that no official declaration against the "anonymous deal" will be made came from a statement that "the association doesn't want to become caught up in the machinery of the efficiency survey."

Jury Returns 'Neglect' Verdict; Crash Inquest

A verdict of culpable neglect was brought in this morning by a seven-man jury against Gerry Lessard, 23, at an inquest into the death of Elmer Rotaas and Irvine Isaacson, victims of an automobile crash at Langford, July 20.

Coroner E. C. Hart told the jury before retiring that they had three choices in the case.

"If you believe Lessard's evidence you may bring in a verdict of accidental death, if you don't believe his evidence you may bring in a verdict of culpable neglect or manslaughter," Coroner Hart said.

He reminded the jury that the case was complicated by the fact

that Lessard had testified that he was not driving.

"The two greatest causes of accidents at night are speed and whisky," Coroner Hart said. "In this case there is a certain amount of evidence of both."

Lessard was one of three in the fatal car which struck a telephone pole near Langford Speedway on the night of July 20. Isaacson died immediately in the crash, while Rotaas, owner of the car, succumbed in hospital on July 21.

R.C.M.P. highway patrol officers said following the inquest that a decision has not been made as to what court action will follow the inquest findings.

Big Increase In Visiting Cars Noted

An all-time record number of tourists have visited Victoria in cars of foreign license since the first of this year, George I. Warren, head of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau said today.

Latest figures show that there has been a 13 per cent increase in the number of foreign cars over last year. The number of Canadian cars handled at this port is up 25 per cent.

July saw an increase of 1,301 foreign cars over the same month in 1950.

The new figures issued by G. A. Yardley, collector of customs, show that almost as many foreign cars passed through Victoria in July as in the previous six months together.

During the first six months 12,484 foreign cars carrying 34,146 passengers were handled by customs here. In July, 11,661 cars passed through carrying 35,245 passengers. These figures show that although there were 823 less cars in July than in the previous six months put together, there has been 1,099 more passengers carried in the entering cars.

The number of Canadian cars through Victoria in the first seven months of the year was 6,074 carrying 16,993 passengers.

Cars from every state in the union have been here including cars from Alaska, the Philippines, Japan, Hawaii, Panama and Mexico, Mr. Warren said.

He attributes the increase to national advertising. Speaking of the fine weather, Mr. Warren said he didn't think it brought tourists here — "it just made them like it when they got here."

The previous all-time tourist record was set in 1949 when 22,530 cars with foreign licenses passed through Victoria carrying 63,245 passengers.

IN COURT

George Robertson, 1232 Gladstone Avenue, who told the court the accident occurred when he fell asleep at the wheel, was fined \$25 and his driver's license was suspended for six months by Magistrate A. I. Thomas in city police court when he pleaded guilty to careless driving.

The car he was driving late last week crashed through a guard-rail at Tynes Road and Johnson Street, ran down an embankment and collided with some trees. About \$800 damage was done to the vehicle.

Estevan To Leave On Regular Trip

The government lighthouse tender Estevan will leave Victoria late tonight or early Wednesday on a 10-day mission up the west coast of Vancouver Island as far as Cape Beale, taking annual supplies and stores to lighthouse stations along the way.

Col. Keith Dixon, superintendent of lights in this area, will make the trip aboard Estevan.

BRITANNIA LODGE, A.F. & A.M.
No. 75, G.R.C.
An emergent communication of Britannia Lodge, A.F. & A.M. No. 75, G.R.C., Temple, Flagstaff Street, on Wednesday, August 8 at 12:45 p.m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Brother Samuel Moore of Summit Lodge, No. 20, Coleman, Alta.

Members of Sister Lodges and sojourning Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of the Worshipful Master.

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24 Midshipmen In Cadet Graduation

Colorful Ceremony At Royal Roads Culminates Two Years Of Training

Twenty-four naval cadets marched onto the broad parade square at Royal Roads Joint Services College this afternoon and after an hour and a half of impressive ceremony marched off as midshipmen.

The event was the annual naval graduation ceremony. Read Admiral Wallace B. Creery, Pacific Coast Flag Officer, inspected the cadets, took their salute, and spoke briefly to graduates on Canada's place in present-day affairs.

Highlight of the afternoon ceremony came when members of the graduating class marched slowly through ranks of junior classmen who reached up and removed their white lanyards.

This impressive phase symbolized completion of two years of training for the graduates and provided senior status for this year's junior classmen.

AWARDS PRESENTED

Top awards to graduates went this year to two Winnipeg cadets.

Cadet R. I. Hitesman, Winnipeg, was awarded the King's Canadian dirk, for being the best all-round cadet in this year's class of midshipmen.

Cadet W. J. Law, Winnipeg, was presented with the Nixon Memorial Sword for possessing the highest officer-like qualities.

Cadet R. C. Orme, of Chilliwack, B.C., was singled out to receive the Department of National Defense Officer of the Watch Telescope for gaining highest place among cadets entering the permanent navy.

The B.C. cadet was chosen for the coveted prize on the basis of examination marks and officer-like qualities.

The Stubbs Memorial Shield this year was awarded Cadet V. G. Ernst, of Halifax, N.S., as the outstanding naval cadet in the field of athletics and for his qualities of sportsmanship.

The shield is given to honor the memory of Lt. Cmdr. John Hamilton Stubbs, D.S.O., D.S.C., lost April 29, 1944, while in command of H.M.C.S. Athabaskan.

Two U.N.T.D. cadets honored at the ceremony for all-round achievement during their summer here were Cadets R. F. J. Hickerty of Bracknell, Saskatchewan, who received a Department of National Defense Officer of the Watch Telescope, and Cadet W. I. M. Copeland, of Oakville, Ont., awarded a Department of National Defense Sword.

The sword was accepted by Lt. J. I. Manore, on behalf of Copeland, who recently returned to his Ontario home.

CLASS MEMBERS
Members of the year's naval graduating class, and their home cities, follow:

J. A. McKenzie, Campbell River; A. W. Rowse, New Westminster; J. M. Campbell, London, Ont.; L. A. Dzoba, Ridgeville, Man.; R. S. Hiteman, Winnipeg; E. A. Makin, Edmonton; W. T. Marchant, Gilbert Plains, Man.; G. R. Meek, Montreal; J. M. Peers, Dartmouth, N.S.; J. Sosnkowski, Arundel, Quebec; P. J. A. Traves, Montreal, all of whom will enter the executive branch of naval service.

R. A. Gibbons, Victoria; V. G. Ernst, Halifax; R. M. Houston, Enderby, B.C.; R. C. Orme, Chilliwack and J. M. Vivian, Drumheller, Alta., who will enter the engineering branch.

R. S. Bigelow, Port Hope, Ont.

VICTORIA WATER SUPPLY NOT DEPLETED BY LONG DRY SPELL

Greater Victoria water district officials today assured citizens that their water supply in the Sooke Lake watershed has not been depleted to any great extent by 55 rainless days.

"There's plenty of water," they said. "Any restrictions imposed on water users result from distribution difficulties, rather than a water shortage at the source."

Heavy winter rains filled the storage lakes far beyond current demands, they explained.

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Nation-Wide Attendance For Election Of Primate

New City Post Office Will Be Delayed

Victoria's new post office should be ready for occupancy April 1 of next year, a spokesman of the contractors, Northern Construction Co. and J. W. Stewart Ltd., disclosed here today.

"Frankly, we are a little behind schedule," he admitted.

He explained, "on a job of this nature a number of things turn up which causes unavoidable delays."

He pointed to the bad winter of 1949-50, when heavy snows "complicated excavation work."

One of the "leading suppliers," Evans, Coleman and Johnson Bros. Ltd., had strike trouble in the spring of 1950, which "added further to our difficulties," he declared.

Another cause given for delay was that demolition was held up because some tenants were late in moving out.

Fleming Chairman
Philip Fleming of Victoria has been named chairman of a conciliation board in a dispute between Nanaimo Transfer Co. and the General Truck Drivers and Helpers Union.

Representing the union on the board will be C. E. Jones, Nanaimo, and the company, E. Butcher, also Nanaimo.

LONDON (CP)—Denis Compton, the famous cricket player, was ribbing the umpire when he pointed to the clock outside the cricket ground and yelled "time for tea." But the clock was 80 minutes fast, and play continued.

New Lifeboat For Bamfield Arrives Here

A new \$27,000 lifeboat for the Bamfield station was lowered into Pacific Ocean water for the first time today when the boom on C.G.S. Estevan swung the 35-foot craft from a truck trailer to the water alongside the Department of Transport wharf above Johnson Street bridge.

Built at Isle of Orleans, near Quebec City, the 11-ton boat was lifted from a railway flatcar Monday night by two big cranes, and moved to the transport department yard.

Similar to a boat already in service at the Tofino station, the new craft has many improvements. It is powered by a 110-h.p. diesel engine. Features of the vessel include a solid bronze keel and rudder post, and bronze rubbing rails.

Radio telephone and other electrical equipment will be installed here, and the engine will be checked.

"She'll be leaving for Bamfield under her own power in about a week or 10 days," officials said.

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SHOPPING GUIDE

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It's 'Ead Lights Oop!

By PENNY SAVER

Happened to pick up a baby's rattle from a counter this morning, and I'll be darned if the little head on it didn't light up. Steady, says I to myself, either you've just seen the light, or you'd better start eating a breakfast of whole wheat cereal again!

Sure enough, though, when I jiggled it the second time the little light flashed on and I canceled my order for the cereal.

It's a pet of an entertainer for the little tot who becomes impatient while mama busies herself preparing a meal. With suction cup base, the toy sits comfortably on a highchair, gocart or flat surface of almost any description. All baby need do is tap the toy and it will light up... with the aid of a concealed battery. Fun for the wee punkin for \$1.50.

Based on the suction theory, too, is a feeding bowl for the young 'un. Junior can throw three kinds of tantrums with assorted yens for heaving his dish over his left shoulder to pouring

his ration of porridge over his head but he won't budge this new little gimmick.

The base is a suction-type rubber ring into which the heavy oven-wear glass bowl sits, ever so comfortably. Once the dish is pushed into position he'll not pry it loose again unless he's taken a five-year course in ju jitsu.

Mind, it's the easiest thing this side of opening a milk bottle, for all you do is release the vacuum in the suction ring by unscrewing a tiny valve.

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The carefree Hummel children scatter about in scenes of happy childhood on the covers of notepaper in sizes 4 1/2 by 5 inches, at 75 cents a box, to the box of 20, at \$1 a box.

They're precious little faces along with the delightful animals and birds, who accompany them in their adventures, prompt the passer-by to stop, even if only to gaze at the beautiful work.

Ever used a rose bean in your wardrobe cupboard or dresser drawer? The long bean conceals the natural scent of the roses you'd most like to sniff! To slip between your lingerie or linens, and 10 pennies a bean to buy.

A 40 by 40-inch paper cloth, with matching and contrasting table napkins in deep-toned colors all for your luncheon hour, at 28 cents a set.

A pet of a set, for, once used, may be thrown to the winds... literally, but of course!



When making tea sandwiches ahead of time, wrap in waxed paper, store in refrigerator.

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Hat Fashions Influence
The Latest Hair Styles



Experts say short hair will still be popular for fall.

I have been nosing about in New York to discover what hair styles are going to do this fall.

Mr. Jack, that very clever expert at Eddie Senz Salon, had this to say, "It is too early to tell yet because, actually, the milliners like the styles to a certain extent."

A woman must look at the fall styles in hats and then plan an individual hairdo which is becoming to her and yet can be worn with the hat fashions. If she cannot correlate these, then she should not wear that sort of hat.

"Also, during the summer months women wear their hair in the most comfortable way, some have it cut very short while others tie it back with a ribbon. Then when fall comes they begin to plan a real coiffure."

Mr. Jack feels that many women make the mistake of having the hair arranged for a certain hat, and then taking the hat off.

Often a hairdo which looks well under a hat is not becoming when the hat is removed. The way the hair is combed makes all the difference. When you are not going to wear a hat you may need more fullness and depth at the top, fullness and depth which would not do under a hat. The answer is: fix your hair for the hat for special occasions and keep the hat on.

I talked to Miss Alma at Saks Fifth Avenue and she assures me that there will be great variety in the styles but that the small hat is going to be very popular. These will have no cuffs at the back because of the high collars which will be in vogue. This means more hair showing and makes your fall hairdo especially important.

James Caesar, one of New York's top hair stylists, believes that short hair and the feather cut will still be popular, some hair pieces will be used but that the chignon will be passe. He also predicts a revival of the "page boy bob" with more fullness at the sides. Popular hair lengths, one inch long at the nape of the neck and from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 inches for the top layers of hair from crown to nape.

There's the dope, so begin thinking over what will be smart and becoming for those enticing months ahead.

If you would like some general rules to help you plan send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for the leaflet No. 51, "Framing Your Face Attractively." Address Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

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Designers Of Royal Fashions
Present New Fall Displays

LONDON (CP)—Canadian and United States buyers here for the fall fashion displays showed keen interest in designs by Norman Hartnell and Hardy Amies, the couture houses chosen by Princess Elizabeth to supply clothes for her Canadian tour.

Buyers hope to pick styles similar to those chosen by the Princess. This would mean big sales for the lucky few who guess correctly when the Royal wardrobe goes on view.

Hartnell—described by a fashion writer in The Glasgow Herald as "master of the well-bred styles that rarely date"—sticks to the classic, tailored lines and beautiful embroidered ball gowns that are associated with his name.

Ball gowns vary from sheath-tight styles in glittering brocades with built-up necklines to net and tulle crinolines of tremendous width.

Browns and greens in tweed checks, smooth velours, velvets and worsteds are this year's

choice for tailored suits and dresses topped by voluminous tent coats in long-haired velours with big sleeves and often lined with fur.

Hardy Amies presented one of the most spectacular models in this season's collections. A marquisin wearing pearl-tipped tiara made a regal entrance in a coat of pewter grey street velvet, narrow at the shoulder and flaring at the hem. The coat is trimmed at neck and cuffs with mink, opened to reveal a ball gown in grey and silver lace over grey net.

An outstanding daytime ensemble is a huge topcoat in black

wool lined with copper silk taffeta worn over a dress of the same taffeta which has a swathed bodice, the swathing encircling the waist and forming a large bow on one side.

Mystery Man Contest
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Women

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British Girls Arrive In Canada For 25-Day Tour

QUEBEC (CP) — Fifty teen-aged girls from the United Kingdom arrived here last night aboard the liner Empress of Canada on the first lap of a 26-day tour of eastern Canada.

Led by Odette Churchill, famous British secret service agent of the Second World War, the trip is sponsored by W. Garfield Weston, Canadian-born British industrialist.

After many months of successful operations as a British secret agent in France, Mrs. Churchill was caught and tortured by the Gestapo and held prisoner for two years till the end of the war. She is the first woman to receive the George Cross.

Barbara Weston, daughter of the sponsor, will be a conductor of the tour in Canada. She has travelled widely in Britain and Canada.

The girls' expenses are paid, suitcases and basic wardrobe provided, and pocket money is supplied to each. Their visit in Quebec extends until Thursday when they leave for Montreal.

Harem Hem Starts New Harem Line

PARIS (AP) — Balenciaga, who started the harem craze in women's fashions, has switched to a whole harem line.

Jackets, capes, boleros, aprons and trains all have the puffed-up hem known as harem in his new collection shown today.

The eye-shadowing cloche hat and the swishing fringe-bottomed skirt made return appearances in the Balenciaga show. The designer's hats almost made more news than his dresses. Not content with a cloche hooding the eyes, he followed with another, trimmed with a horsehair ribbon rim completely covering the eyes, and then a black lace head-piece for evening which concealed the whole head and face in a sort of ruffled lampshade.

The shallowest little hats of the season have the most enormous feathers yet seen.

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FLITCHES PRESENTED

DUNMOW, Eng. (Reuters)

—A judge and lawyers in robes and wigs, a jury of six maidens in white and six bachelors yesterday picked three happily-married couples to win the "Dunmow Fitches."

The Fitches — sides of bacon — have been handed out annually, since Robert De Fitzgerald, a big noise locally, offered the gift in 1244 to any married couple 'who will go the priory and swear that they have not quarrelled nor repented their marriage within a year and day after its celebration.'

Nowadays they try the entrants instead of relying on an oath. Lawyers represent both sides, one advocating his clients' case, the other marshalling the evidence against them.

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CLUB CALENDAR

Princess Alexandra Lodge No. 18, Daughters of England, Wednesday, at 7.30, Orange Hall.

Victoria Lodge, No. 83, Daughters of St. George, meeting, Broad Street hall, Wednesday at 8. ... Cosmopolitan Club, dinner at 6.30, alternate Thursdays at Pacific Club.

A Summer Picnic

Members of Liberal Women's Forum will gather at the summer home of Mrs. N. Bertucci, Langford Lake, on Thursday for the annual forum picnic. A Veterans' stage will leave the Herald Street depot for the lake at 11 a.m.

Family Motors From Washington, D.C.

Mrs. Neil Perry with her daughters, fair-haired Donna, three years, and Margaret, five, motored from their home in Washington, D.C., earlier this summer to spend a vacation in Victoria, guests of Mr. Perry's mother, Mrs. Agnes M. Perry, Empress Avenue. Returning east again the end of this month, Mrs. Perry will stop en route to visit her father, Rev. R. F. Hunter, in Winnipeg. Mr. Perry is with the international monetary fund at Washington, D.C.

Mr. And Mrs. G. Hartley On Up-Island Honeymoon

Traveling up-island on their honeymoon are last evening's newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis Hartley, who repeated nuptial vows before Canon F. Pike in St. Luke's Anglican Church. For the occasion the church was decorated and guest pews marked with gladioli blooms.

The bride is the former Evelyn Agnes Wilms, niece of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bacon, 3700 Epsom Drive, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Isabel Hartley, 1620 Pear Street.

A golden nugget brooch, belonging to her mother, was chosen by the bride to wear with her gown of lustrous satin and rich lace that trimmed the nylon net yoke, and was repeated in inserts from the pointed waist to hemline in front and double insets from the waistline to the tip of the lace-edged train. The gown was created with rounded neckline, long slender sleeves and softly flaring skirt that extended to a graceful train. A bridal veil misted from her forehead to her fingers. She carried a nurse's white Bible topped with red roses and sprigs of white heather, tied with blue and white streamers.

Mrs. Evelyn Smith, matron of honor, was gowned in rose-toned satin and wore a bandeau of flowers. She carried a Colonial bouquet.

Wedding In Late August



Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jones, 354 Foul Bay Road, have announced the engagement of their only daughter, Dorothy May Olivia, to Mr. John Anderson Garrow Blackhall, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. F. Blackhall, Vancouver. The wedding will take place on August 22 in Wilson Heights United Church, Vancouver, with Dr. A. E. Whitehouse, Victoria, officiating. Both Miss Jones and Mr. Blackhall are graduates of the University of British Columbia and at present are on the teaching staff of Powell River High School, Powell River.

Canadians Aid Children In Many Different Spots

TORONTO (CP)—In Ortona, Italian babies can receive medical attention at a clinic built and equipped with Canadian money. In every village in Carinthia, Austria, children are wearing Canadian clothing, and in Lebanon and Syria, Canadian supplies are the main support of child welfare clinics.

All this is the work of the Canadian Save the Children Fund. At a recent meeting the national executive of the fund approved a budget of \$25,000 worth of food, clothing, shoes, blankets and baby powder for needy children in Italy, Greece, Austria, Syria and Lebanon. The shipment will include \$3,000 worth of boys' trousers and \$10,000 worth of shoes. Mrs. R. T. Tanner, executive secretary, who has just returned from a visit to other save the children points in Europe and the middle east, says that the character of overseas work is changing. Such funds are concentrating more on helping to raise the standard of child welfare and to give support to projects of lasting value in the countries being helped.

In Greece the government has asked the British save the children fund to open and supervise a training college for nursery school teachers. In Italy the save the children fund has been asked to take charge of a preventorium near Rome, and in addition is hoping to build a child welfare clinic.

Mrs. Tanner says the aim of the funds is to help the people of needy countries to help themselves.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Dorothy May Jones Feted

A decorated box, filled with many gifts, was presented to Miss Dorothy May Jones, bride-elect of this month, when she was guest of honor recently at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. George Robinson and Mrs. Henry Bird at the home of the former, 3069 Henderson Road.

Corsage bouquets were presented to the bride-elect and to her mother. Music and games were enjoyed and refreshments served from a table centred with summer flowers in yellow tones to match the decorative color scheme of the rooms.

Invited guests were Mrs. Gordon Robinson, Mrs. G. W. Robinson, Mrs. W. Robinson, Mrs. Donald Robinson, Mrs. T. Sheppard of Edmonton, Mrs. T. E. Mariner, Mrs. G. G. Green, Mrs. G. Mason, Mrs. J. A. Scott Harris, Mrs. E. B. Jones, Misses F. B. Bailey and C. Jones.

For Miss Shirley Traill

Miss Shirley Traill, a bride-elect of this week, was honored last evening at a miscellaneous shower when Mrs. M. Carswell with her daughter, Miss Jean Carswell, entertained at her Quesnell Apartment, Lee Avenue. Corsage bouquets were presented to the honor guest, her mother, Mrs. H. M. Traill, and Mrs. H. Gallop, mother of the groom-elect. Gifts were concealed in a decorated container.

Guests were Mesdames E. Winter, A. Turner, A. Brand, E. Witchen, D. Bennett, R. Green, G. Frith, B. Impy, R. Pike, J. Thompson, S. Burd, H. Allmon, M. Conyers, H. Holland, L. Craig, D. McConville, Miss Adele Stonehouse and Miss Annie Collins.

Mrs. Michael Bell-Irving, Windsor Road, has left on a three-month visit to eastern Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Casper of New York City are visitors in Victoria, guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Porritt, Moss Street.

A luncheon guest of Rear-Admiral Wallace B. Creery, C.B.E., R.C.N., flag officer Pacific Coast, and Mrs. Creery, at Admiral's House Wednesday will be Brigadier W. J. Lawson, Ottawa, judge advocate of the Three Services. Brigadier Lawson will be in the city for the day.

Dr. and Mrs. Douglas W. Graham, Lansdowne Road, have as their guests, Dr. and Mrs. Bertram Lord, Great Falls, Mont. They plan to be in the city for two weeks.

Mrs. E. Frazer has returned to her Cumberland Road home after a month's holiday in Los Gatos, Calif., visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. J. F. Morton. Other visitors at the Mortons' during their stay were Lt.-Col. and Mrs. J. H. Lawrence of Seattle.

At a christening ceremony in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Sunday afternoon, with Rev. A. E. Hendy officiating, the names Moya Vivian were given the seven-months-old daughter of Maj. and Mrs. W. Hamilton Roberts. The baby is the granddaughter of Maj.-Gen. J. Roberts, C.B., D.S.O., M.C., Godparents are Capt. and Mrs. Hugh Findlay Young, London, Eng., for whom Lt.-Col. and Mrs. A. C. Perron stood proxy. Following the service, a reception was held at the Olde England Inn.

Victoria group of the Winnipeg General Hospital alumnae association met for luncheon recently at the home of Miss Meta Hodge, 281 Kerwood Street. During the gathering a gift was presented to Mrs. Hannah Lewis, a group member who is shortly to fly to Switzerland for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cornell, 2214 McNeill Avenue, who recently celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary received a telegram of congratulation from the King and Queen. They were married Aug. 4, 1891, in Sarnia, Ont. Mr. Cornell, who was born two weeks before Confederation, is 84 years old and his wife is 83. They have lived in Victoria since 1939.

In the city to attend the wedding of Miss Evelyn Agnes Wilms to Mr. Gordon Francis Hartley in St. Luke's Anglican Church last evening were Mrs. Hilda Hanna, Juneau, Alaska; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bacon and Mrs. W. H. Morrison, all of Calgary; Mr. Alec Berry, Mayo, Y.T., and Mrs. E. Littleton, Alberni, V.I.

Members of Xi Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, and their families were guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Waters at their summer home at Deep Cove. Swimming and boating were enjoyed during the afternoon and more than 40 guests joined in a picnic supper served on the lawn. Following supper a social hour was enjoyed.

Victorians holidaying at Parksville at present and staying at Island Hall Hotel include Miss M. Symons, Mrs. Alan Morkill, Mr. Ernest Belton, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porter, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Mercer, Miss E. M. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Marston, Sir Ernest and Lady Petter, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Petter, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fitzwater, Mrs. Joan Davis and John and Mr. and Mrs. A. Attwell.

Here are a few secrets for success in making salads. Salads that are moist seem to lack freshness, so dry all greens thoroughly; if using cooked vegetables, drain them well. Always mix salads lightly, using two forks, as stirring with the spoon crushes the ingredients. Do not prepare salads until just before serving and wait until the last minute to add the salad dressing. Otherwise, the lettuce may become limp and wilted, instead of being crisp and attractive.

Did you ever think of taking along a Calavo avocado on a picnic? It's delicious salad food, to halve or quarter and eat out of the shell with a spoon. If you're having hamburgers spread mashed Calavo over the hamburgers after you popped them into the buns. A real taste treat!

GRATEFUL RELIEF—NO MORE PILLS!

"I suffered from constipation for years until I started to eat ALL-BRAN regularly. I have since stopped taking drugs and pills—feel like my old self again, thanks to ALL-BRAN!" J. H. Holland, 34 Albany Ave., Orillia, Ont. Just one of many unsolicited letters from ALL-BRAN users. If you need help for constipation due to lack of bulk, simply eat an ounce of crispy ALL-BRAN daily, drink plenty of water! If not completely satisfied after 10 days, return empty carton to Kellogg's, London, Ont. Get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK!



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Attractive Addition To Young Set

In Victoria to join her parents, R.C.M.P. assistant commissioner and Mrs. C. Rivett-Carnac, 1025 Joan Crescent, who arrived last April from Regina, is Miss Beverley Rivett-Carnac. During the month of July Miss Rivett-Carnac attended Moorecroft Camp on Vancouver Island and previous to that was completing her junior matric at Qu'Appelle Diocesan School for Girls in Regina. Alkalik, beyond the Arctic Circle, was birthplace of this attractive newcomer to Victoria's younger set.



Presages Early Autumn Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Francis of Vancouver, formerly of Victoria and Brentwood, V.I., announce the engagement of their daughter, Leona Louise to Sub-Lieut. Douglas Grant Sherlock, R.C.N. (R), son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lind Sherlock, Vancouver. The wedding will take place in St. Mary's Church (Kerrisdale) Vancouver, on Sept. 5 at 8 p.m., with Rev. Dudley Kemp officiating. The reception will follow at H.M.C.S. Discovery. Miss Francis is at arts graduate from University of British Columbia, affiliated with Alpha Phi women's fraternity. Her fiancé, who served in Korea aboard H.M.C.S. Athabaskan last summer and this summer is stationed at H.M.C. Dockyard, received his B.A. degree this spring and will receive his L.B. degree next spring at U.B.C. His fraternity is Beta Theta Phi. (Photo by Kern.)



High School Pen Pals Meet

It has taken 12 years for two high school pen pals to meet, but this week-end after all their months of correspondence Miss Illean Popov (right) came from Windsor, Ont., to visit Mrs. J. W. Birtwistle, the former Gertrude Lane. It all started when a teacher of Miss Popov's had her students write letters to a grade 10 class at Victoria High School as part of a project. One letter was all that was required. Some exchanged three or four, but these two girls found so much in common that they continued. Mrs. Birtwistle now has three children. Miss Popov is billing clerk at the Bendix Company in the Ontario city.

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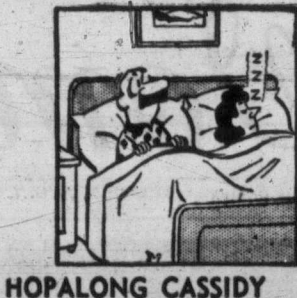
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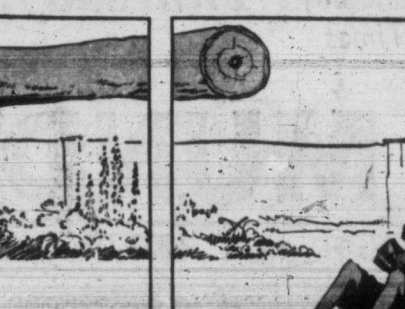


By V. T. Hamlin

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Tossing The Caper



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\$6,000,000 More For Shareholders

By HARRY YOUNG, Times Business Editor

The International Nickel Co. has given its shareholders a pleasant, if not altogether unexpected, surprise by increasing the rate of its next quarterly dividend from 40 cents to 50 cents. The 10 cents advance develops into the tidy sum of \$1,458,402.5 when multiplied by the number of shares in the vast Copper Cliff company.

Assuming that 50 cents will become the new regular quarterly dividend, the extra payment will mean about \$6,000,000 extra to shareholders of Inco. The payments, it should also be noted, are made in U.S. funds.

The increase restores the Inco dividend to the rate it paid prior to March, 1944, when it was reduced from 50 cents to the 40 cents it has been paying since. In addition to this regular dividend however, International Nickel has paid an extra 40 cents in each of the past four years.

Following the news the shares of International Nickel rose by half a point to \$40.4, at which price they have an apparent yield of 6 per cent.

It has been a Canadian custom to extend lavish praise upon the effective way in which the Canadian government organized and administered its wartime controls and rationing. The comparison made chiefly with similar actions in the United States, showed that latter nation was less successful in its attempted rationing.

Today when the North American countries are again facing an emergency, the governments of the United States and Canada have again taken their separate paths.

The United States government has set up an elaborate system of wage, salary and price controls and has generally been much tougher than the Canadian legislators who have attempted rather to pad their knickerbockers before applying the punches.

The Canadian method is a notable experiment in a situation which has no modern parallel. The government's reluctance to fix prices, or wages, has received wide commendation from big industry, but whether the indirect correctives it is attempting to apply will succeed in the long run remains to be seen.

The Canadian government believes it can check inflation by applying higher taxes and tightening the availability of credit, to the extent that they reduce the consumer demand to the point of creating a slump at the manufacturing level.

As the Bank of Montreal indicated recently, this government juggling of the trade situation must be watched with extreme caution unless it throws the whole economic situation off balance.

At the moment, the more direct U.S. methods are making the more impressive showing. For instance, in Canada, the cost of living index has risen by 5 per cent since February. In the same period, the United States Consumers' Price Index (not the same but similar in establishing a trend), rose by only 2 per cent.

This does not mean that the United States has beaten inflation, but it has given the U.S. sponsors of price controls a telling comparison. Indeed, many more aggressive thinkers in Canada today consider it time the Canadian government attacked the rising spiral of living costs with the more positive price controls favored south of the border.

Canadian Investment Fund in its semi-annual report for the first half of 1951, shows that its net assets were \$2,079,881 higher than at the end of 1950. Outstanding shares increased by 177,627, giving the fund a new high total of 6,914,722 shares.

The fund with its largest holding in Smelters, International Nickel, Hiram Walker, Steel Co. of Canada, Consolidated Paper, E.A. Oil and Shawinigan, has paid over \$9,000,000 in dividends since its incorporation.

Wheat Carrying Charge Contested
LONDON (Reuters).—The Financial Times says today "there are indications" that Canada may have heavy supplies of wheat to sell on the world market.

"It is not altogether certain, however, that Canada's effective selling position will be as strong as the continuing world need for bread-cereals would suggest," it says.

"Her transport and shipping position is still, and Canadian elevators still contain heavy quantities of frost-damaged 1950 wheat."

"This background may explain why the British authorities have felt justified in contesting the imposition of a six-cents-a-bushel carrying charge on wheat sold under the international wheat agreement."

C.P.R. Bonds Strong
MONTREAL (CP).—Trading was extremely quiet with prices relatively unchanged on the Montreal bond markets today. On the corporate market, C.P.R.'s were stronger under some attention.

TODAY'S STOCK QUOTATIONS

By: James Richardson & Sons, T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd., A. E. Ames & Co., Investment Dealers' Association, Hagar Investment Ltd., H. A. Humber Ltd.

Closing Averages

Dow Jones averages:
30 Industrials 264.94, off .37
20 Railroads 82.41, off .19
15 Utilities 45.05, up .12
65 Stocks 96.04, off .07
Sales 1,810,000 shares.

Toronto averages:

Industrials 335.67, up .43
Golds 80.02, off .03
Base metals 182.45, up .07
Western oils 106.65, up .13
Sales 1,789,000 shares.

WALL ST. ON 21-YEAR HIGH

When the Wall Street Exchange closed yesterday the Dow Jones Industrial average stood at 265.21. This represented its highest point for over 21 years. The last time it was higher was on June 5, 1930.

The advance yesterday topped the recent high of 263.13 reached on May 3 this year.

GRAIN

WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG (CP).—Oats showed independent strength in active trade today. Other grains generally were lower.

Fair demand appeared in oats from export accounts, believed to represent some export business. Barley also was reported to have been sold for export during the week-end but trade was on a lighter scale. Prices fell off under hedging sales and selling prompted by good week-end rains.

Flax trade was light, with a few shipping orders reported. Rye rallied in late trade to recover early losses caused by American selling.

Export loadings of Canadian wheat totaled 1,100,000 bushels, with the United Kingdom taking 700,000 bushels, Belgium 40,000 and the Netherlands 360,000.

Class two wheat and I.W.A. prices were up 1/2 cent from Saturday.

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Stars In Novel Song, Dance Routine

Sir Laurence Olivier brought a London Palladium house down with slapstick comedy act in partnership with wife, Vivien Leigh and Danny Kaye. The trio donned sailor suits and ankle socks to do "Terrible Triples" turn for charity.

Canada Needs Year To Prepare Land, Sea, Air Forces For Major Attack

By DOUGLAS HOW
OTTAWA (CP)—The forces that would defend Canada herself and the headquarters for directing that defense in war are being built up quietly amid the clamor over creation of forces to go abroad.

In the opinion of informed observers, Canada in a number of ways would not be in a good position if war came tomorrow. What Gen. Omar Bradley said about the U.S. goes for Canada, too; this country isn't ready for a showdown with Russia either.

Canada's air defenses are weak. Her navy, reported in the *Mailing* report to be overextended even before Korea, still is committing a relatively large portion of its fleet there. The army's airborne brigade is fit, but air transport for it could be a major headache if an enemy struck hard and often.

The build-up to buttress all three positions is on. By the end of this year major strides will have been made in probably being at least a year before the forces are really in a fairly sound fighting position.

The basic premise of defense headquarters' thought continues to be the assumption that no large-scale land invasion of Canada is likely in the years immediately ahead. For that reason, Canada isn't doing what Britain recently did—name a trio of military leaders specifically to direct home defense if war strikes.

Britain must prepare for large-scale invasion. Canada feels this isn't necessary, at least for the present, there is no Canadian equivalent of the head of the British triad, Gen. Sir Miles Dempsey, a man closely associated with Canadians in the Second World War in England, Italy and Normandy.

The responsibility for co-ordinating these efforts rests with the chief of staff committee in Ottawa. The committee has under it at this stage a series of operational headquarters—an air defense group headquarters in Montreal, a headquarters for the scattered airborne brigade here, naval headquarters on each coast—that would direct wartime battles.

A year ago the forces being built to defend Canada were all that counted. Korea changed that completely. Now the news is all about the brigade in Korea, the brigade for Europe, the destroyers off Korea or heading there, plans for an air division for Europe.

This assumption of peacetime obligations overseas has worked a revolution in military policy and in the forces. It has obscured preparations to defend Canada herself.

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ARDENT ARTIST

Barber Pride

Of Preston

PRESTON, Ont. (CP)—Many persons class artists as "long-haired," but Harold Morrow of Preston, is far from that category. He's a barber.

As well as being a prolific artist in his own right Mr. Morrow is founder and perennial president of the Preston Art Club, which has about 100 enthusiastic members.

Customers in his shop don't gaze at the usual long-legged calendar girls but at interesting woodland scenes, a few marines and views of the lovely Doon area in which Harold Watson painted his way to fame.

Customers are almost certain of meeting a constant parade of art students, fellow club members of Mr. Morrow's, who come in to ask his advice or to buy materials which he keeps in stock more for their convenience than for his profit.

A few weeks ago he held his first one-man exhibit in nearby Galt and won friendly plaudits from local papers. But the youthful, though grey-haired barber, insists that he is still a beginner and a long way from being a great artist.

The story behind his art is the subject that lies closest to his heart. Seven years ago he was "quite a lad for the drink," he says, but adds that he underwent a religious experience that turned him into painting.

He soon found himself sketching early in the morning before shop opened and at night working on the sketches he had done in the morning.

Now he, his club members and his customers are all enthusiastic about his painting.

Travel Schedule

(All Times Daylight Saving)

SEA

Victoria-Vancouver-Victoria 2.10 p.m. 11.40 p.m. Arr. Victoria 7 a.m. 3.45 p.m.

Victoria-Seattle-C.P.R. ship 10 p.m. 11.40 p.m. Arr. Seattle 12.30 p.m. 1.15 p.m.

Victoria-Seattle-Victoria 11.15 a.m. 1.15 p.m. 1.15 p.m. 1.15 p.m.

Nanaimo-Vancouver-Victoria 7.30 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 1.30 p.m. 1.30 p.m.

Victoria-Seattle-Victoria 11.15 a.m. 1.15 p.m. 1.15 p.m. 1.15 p.m.

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MRS. MARY WEST, formerly of 338 West Bay Road, Victoria, B.C., deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor at 1205 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 7th day of September, 1951, after which time the executor will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which there has notice.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY, Executor.

By CLEARBURY, GREGORY & GRANT, Solicitors.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED TENDERS, plainly marked as to content and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to 12 noon of Tuesday, August 21, 1951, for the performance of the following work: Paving of Streets and Driveways, including a portion of Belmont Road with 2" hot bit asphalt and 1 1/2" concrete, and 1/4" and 1/2" concrete. Plans, specifications and forms of tender required may be obtained by prime contractors only at the address hereunder and will be made available without charge to all interested parties. Bids must be accompanied by a deposit of \$50.00 in the form of a certified cheque payable to the Receiver General of Canada. The deposit will be refunded upon return of the drawings and specifications in good condition to the Chief Engineer-in-Chief, Department of Citizenship and Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, within two weeks from the date on which tenders are closed.

To receive consideration, tenders must be submitted on the tender forms provided and must be accompanied by a certified cheque drawn on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the Receiver General of Canada, in an amount equal to ten per cent (10%) of the tender price or better Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies, as specified in the form of tender.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all tenders, and the lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.

D. M. MacKAY, Acting Deputy Minister, Department of Citizenship and Immigration, July 26, 1951.

Long-Distance Duck

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (CP)—Wild-life experts in New Zealand believe a grey duck shot by a sportsman here must have flown 1,200 miles across the Tasman Sea from Australia. It had a leg band of different type to that used here.

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See Shakespearean Play

BIRMINGHAM, Eng. (CP)—Canada's visiting air cadets, 26 strong, went by motor coach today through the industrial areas of the Midlands to visit the scenic spots of northern Wales. En route they will be taken

alight-seeing in Shrewsbury and the Barmouth district with an overnight stop-over in the seaport town of Rhyl.

The youngsters, on a three-week tour of the United Kingdom, left Stratford-On-Avon with vivid memories of the historic country where William Shakespeare lived. They were taken to the Tudor cottage where the great bard was born and to Holy Trinity Church where Shakespeare and his wife, Anne Hathaway, are buried.

After a reception at the Town Hall by the Mayor of Stratford, R. J. Knight, the Canadians were treated to a performance of King Henry V, in the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre. Later the cadets were taken back stage where they were introduced to members of the cast.

Three of the party, Cpl. Bruce Montgomery of West Vancouver; WO2. Bill Wilson, Calgary, and Flt. Sgt. Robert O'Shaughnessy, Kirkland Lake, Ont., were greeted by the noted Shakespearean actor, Michael Redgrave, and given a brief summary of the theatre's activities.

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A GIRL WITHOUT A
STOPLIGHT
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FIRST RUN
DOORS 1 P.M.
FEATURE AT
1.00, 2.00,
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IN TOWN TONIGHT

ON THE SCREEN

ATLAS—"Pagan Love Song," at 3.05, 6.22, 9.45, plus "Baron of Arizona."

CAPITOL—"I Was a Communist for the F.B.I." at 1.36, 3.35, 5.34, 7.33, 9.37.

DOMINION—"Lightning Strikes Twice," at 1.00, 3.49, 6.38, 9.32, plus "Crime Over London."

FOX—"Rebecca," first show at 6.45; doors 6.10.

OAK BAY—"West Point Story," at 6.45, 8.52. Doors 6.30.

ODEON—"Cyrano," at 1.00, 3.05, 5.10, 7.15. Last complete show, 9.25.

PLAZA—"China Corsair," plus "The Texan Meets Calamity Jane."

ROYAL—"Show Boat," at 1.12, 3.14, 5.16, 7.18, 9.23.

TILlicum—"Hasty Heart," Gates 8 p.m., show 8.50.

DANCING
CLUB SIROCCO—Continental Room, 8.30.

SOFTBALL
CENTRAL PARK—Pitzer & Nex vs. Bluebird Cubs, 6.30.

BASEBALL
ATHLETIC PARK—Yakima Bears vs. Victoria Athletics, 8.

Driver Unhurt In
Early Morning Crash

A car driven by Miss Geraldine P. Cedar, 738 Humboldt Street, a minor, suffered damage at 12.50 this morning when she was in collision with a telephone pole on Fairfield Road 191 feet west of Memorial Crescent, city police reported. Miss Cedar was unhurt.

Today and Wed.

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AIR COOLED FOR COMFORT
HILLSIDE
and
QUADRA
FOX
PLENTY OF PARKING AREA

IN HOLLYWOOD

'Old Diz' Will Be At Bat In 'Pride Of St. Louis'

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Latest sports figure to be immortalized on film is the old 'Diz' himself—Jerome (Dizzy) Dean.

Twentieth-Century-Fox is filming the life story of the former pitching flash of St. Louis and current baseball commentator and word mangler of the air waves. The picture is called "The Pride of St. Louis."

The film is the inspiration of producer Jules Schermer, who has long harbored the notion that the Dean story would make a movie. He got the studio to see it his way, and then talked to Dizzy.

"I spent a week or so with Diz in New York, where he broadcasts the Yankee games," said the producer.

Schermer said Dean's impersonator, Dan Dailey, will adhere to the ball player's character, even down to his murder of the English. "But Diz is no dope," the producer added. "Even when he twists the language to suit his purpose you always know what he means."

This is the story of a guy who thinks life is a joke. He doesn't find himself until he loses the

thing most valuable to him—his pitching arm."

For realism's sake, Dailey pitched 45 minutes a day for three weeks under the tutelage of Ike Danning, former catcher for St. Louis Browns. I found Ike refreshingly candid about actors who impersonate ball players.

"Most of them are pretty bad," he remarked. "The details of the game are usually okay in baseball pictures, but the stars just don't act like the ball players. About the only resemblance Gary Cooper had to Lou Gehrig was that he was soft-spoken and gentle, as Lou was."

The same goes for James Stewart, who played Monte Stratton, also a quiet guy."

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TODAY ONLY! "CYRANO DE BERGERAC"

Petty Thefts Add To Police Work

Mrs. A. Pearson, 1040 Fort Street, reported to city police today that a painting worth \$40 was stolen from her store last Saturday.

Miss Yvonne Brawner, 843 Pandora Avenue, told police that her 10-carat gold wrist watch was stolen last week-end. She gave the police a description of the man she suspects of stealing the timepiece.

Sizeable Tuna Catch Landed

Another sizeable tuna catch was brought to Victoria Monday, but fisherman Fred Homer admitted he had had to scratch for it.

Homer's boat, the Zorina, landed two and one-half tons of tuna at B.C. Packers wharf here. Saturday of last week, a similar-sized catch was landed by Bill Teller, skipper of the schooner Black Dog.

Two Cars Entered; Beach Wear Stolen

J. F. Fullerton, 3994 W. 35th Street, Vancouver, and Mrs. B. A. Pope, 1320 Purcell Place, reported to city police Monday that their cars were entered and robbed between Sunday night and Monday morning.

A thief forced the right-hand door of the Fullerton car and stole an auto rug, a camera and a briefcase containing papers. A rug, beach bag and cushion were stolen from Mrs. Pope's car.

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Women's Rayon Briefs

Have elastic waistband, cuff or lace trim, double gusset—come in tearose, maize, blue or white, sizes small, medium and large. Buy several pairs at this Wednesday saving price!

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Fine quality woven rayon crepe slips, with deep lace trim at hem. Sizes 32 to 42 in tearose or white.

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